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LINER NEWPORT SINKS AT DOCK

DARROW IS NOT GUILTY

ALL SAVED FROM SEA WRECK

Pacific Mail Boat Goes Down
When Wharf Collapses in
Balboa Harbor

Sleeping Passengers and Crew
Leave Vessel in Time
to Save Lives

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—The Pacific Mail liner Newport was sunk at Balboa, Panama, this morning by the collapse of the wharf to which she was moored. All on board were saved. Word of the accident was received by the Merchants' Exchange.

According to the message the Newport was lying alongside the government wharf at Balboa, having taken on a full cargo of general merchandise preparatory to sailing this morning for San Francisco.

While the crew and the passengers were asleep about 2 a. m. there was a roar and a crash and the great shed over the dock tottered and then fell toward the side where the steamer lay moored.

WRECK ON DECK.
The thousands of tons of wreckage slid across the bow of the Newport and immediately the vessel began to settle in the water. All aboard rushed to the decks and managed to reach the wharf in safety.

Within a short space of time the Newport sank, her keel resting on a muddy bottom in 35 feet of water. Only her upper deck was above the surface.

Assistant General Manager A. J. Frey of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company said today:
"According to our advices from the agent at Balboa, the shed over the wharf crashed down upon the steamer and sank her within a few minutes. Up to this time we have been assured that no lives were lost. I do not know how many passengers were aboard at the time, but am inclined to believe that only a few went to their staterooms during the night as it is the custom for them to be there just before sailing time in the morning."

DAMAGE IS \$500,000.
"The Newport was carrying iron and steel, dry goods and foodstuffs. While I do not know the exact value of her cargo I believe that the loss will reach close to \$500,000."

The Newport is an iron screw vessel.

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Wife of Rancher Hangs Self to Tree

Leaves Bed, Puts on Wrapper
Over Nightgown and Com-
mits Suicide.

SIERRA MADRE, Aug. 17.—Mrs. J. Parks, 40 years old, wife of a well-to-do rancher, left her bed early this morning, put on a loose dress over her nightgown and hanged herself from a walnut tree. The body was found about 5:30 this morning when the woman was missed by her husband, who had not been awakened when she left the house. The woman had been mentally deranged for some time, but was not considered dangerous to herself or others. The family has lived here about two years. There are three children, a son 4 years old and two daughters, 15 and 18.

HOT WEATHER DRINK
Bottle of Hot Weather Drink
A refreshing drink for hot weather
order, with sugar, to comfortable satisfaction

VICE COMMISSION NAMED BY MAYOR

"Purity Board" Will Guard Morals of
City and Suggest Legislation

PUBLIC WELFARE AND CENSORSHIP COMMISSION.
W. C. BARNARD, grain broker and president of the Alameda County Public Service Club, chairman.
DR. SUSAN J. FENTON, prominent physician and social worker and member of the Associated Charities.
ROBERT B. GAYLORD, attorney, director of the Oakland Y. M. C. A., trustee of the First Baptist Church.
MISS BESSIE J. WOOD, president of the Alameda County Child's Welfare League.
DR. N. H. CHAMBERLAIN, prominent Oakland physician.

Carrying into effect the policy of keeping the record of Oakland clean, Mayor Frank K. Mott this morning appointed a Public Welfare and Censorship Commission, consisting of five members chosen from the leaders of the most prominent organizations and forces for social betterment. The commission will be given the fullest powers to make an exhaustive and thorough investigation into conditions affecting the moral welfare of the city, and will be asked to make a full and fearless report of conditions as they exist in Oakland, with recommendations for remedial measures.

The appointment of the "vice commission" is one of the steps being taken to protect Oakland from falling into the slough of various evils which afflict large cities, and with which Oakland is threatened on approaching her position as a great metropolis of this continent. The opening of the Panama canal will bring to this city an influx of foreign

population, and will also increase the commercial and manufacturing districts, and will make more strained the difficult control of vice conditions. It is in the hope of meeting these problems that the welfare commission is being created.

TO REVOKE LICENSES.
The investigation being carried on at the instance of Mayor Mott into the conduct of the alleged social clubs enjoying free liquor licenses from the city has brought to light the fact that in these clubs there has been a certain amount of gambling going on. Mayor Mott states that in all probability several of the licenses would be revoked, and the "clubs" closed up and put out of business. This investigation will be continued to its conclusion and the suppression of the illegitimate clubs by the council, independent of the investigation to be made by the Public Service Commission.

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BLUE AND RED ARMIES IN FIERCE CONFLICT

Battle Fought in Pajaro Valley

SARGENT, Cal., Aug. 17.—Over the Santa Clara hills and in the valley of the Pajaro the first big battle of the midget attack on San Francisco is being fought today. The battle raged all morning and at noon the advance forces of the Blues, which is defending San Francisco, was retreating toward the main army now camped near San Jose under command of Colonel Gardener. The retreating force was hard pressed by the skirmish line of the invading Reds, of Brigadier General Wankowski's command.

At daylight the Reds began their advance, believing that Colonel Bowen and his men had retreated to Orinda to await the remainder of the Blue army. But the Blues had taken a strong position in the hills from which they poured a heavy fire on the advance column of the invaders. In a narrow defile along the Pajaro river the Red commander was forced to bring the marchers to a halt and deploy his entire force.

The California militia was ordered

along the crest of the hills in advance to draw the enemy's fire. The rattle of the musketry could be heard from one end of the little valley to the other. Four companies of the Twelfth regiment were swung out over the grain fields at double time in an attempt to turn the right flank of the Blues. They forded the Pajaro river waist deep and the fire of the Blues became so warm that the entire brigade of the Reds was put into action to rout them.

The blues moved slowly in retreat and by noon were well on their way to Orinda, where they will be joined tonight by their artillery and cavalry. Before leaving the Blues dynamited the Pajaro river bridge.

The main armies of each other and the fighting will continue until Tuesday, when the maneuvers end. The Reds covered their advance by

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Edward Sweeney, Mint Superintendent, Is Dead

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—Edward Sweeney, superintendent of the United States Mint here and president of the Continental Building and Loan Association, died suddenly this afternoon.

May Pass Canal Bill Today Without Taft Amendment

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—President Taft has not decided whether he will approve the Panama canal bill as agreed to by the Senate and House conference. The President is expected today to sign the bill, which prohibits the sale of any part of the canal zone to any foreign power. The bill is a compromise between the House and Senate versions. The House version would have permitted the sale of the canal zone to any foreign power, while the Senate version would have prohibited it. The bill as passed by the conference committee is a compromise between the two versions.

FOUR BURIED ALIVE IN SEWER

One Man Taken Out Dead
When Rescuers Reach the
Imprisoned Men

Elmhurst Scene of Fatal Accident; Ground Caves Without Warning

ELMHURST, Aug. 17.—One man was killed and three others badly shaken up today when a sewer which is being dug between Ninety-second and Ninety-fourth avenues on East Fourteenth street suddenly caved in at Ninety-second avenue. Four men were buried under ten feet of dirt and clay.

The accident occurred shortly before noon today. The dead man is John Peter Alves, a laborer 40 years of age, who resided at Campbell street between Atlantic and Pacific streets. The injured are:

M. Campbell, assistant foreman, slightly jarred by shock.
Manuel Moritz, laborer, 1208 Eighty-second avenue, unconscious from suffocation and badly jarred by shock.
M. Cambra, 1034 Ninety-first avenue, badly shaken.

SEWER GIVES WAY.
The other laborers were just preparing to leave the trenches when with a roar the portion of the sewer at the Ninety-second avenue end gave way. The men grasped their shovels and rushed to the scene of the cave-in, where a desperate effort was made to rescue the imprisoned men.

M. Campbell, assistant foreman on the job, who was also buried with the cave-in, managed to work his way to the surface, where he was grasped by willing hands and pulled to safety.

BOTH UNCONSCIOUS.
A few minutes later two laborers were brought to the surface, both in an unconscious condition. Moritz was taken in an automobile by Dr. Weber and rushed to the doctor's office, where he was revived. He was taken to his home later. The other laborer was badly jarred but was uninjured.

The last to be brought up was Alves. A desperate effort was made to revive him, but he was found to be beyond medical aid.

The section of the trench where the accident occurred today was something over ten feet in depth. The sewer was being constructed by the Sweeney Construction Company and G. J. Hennacker of 1813 Eighty-ninth avenue was the foreman in charge of the work.

Wireless Regulated By New U. S. Law

President Taft Signs Radio-
Communication Measure.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—President Taft yesterday signed the radio-communication bill, carrying out America's participation of the international agreement adopted at the Berlin wireless congress in 1906. The measure compels all wireless stations to give priority to military, naval, and government wireless on ships, the instruments of which must have a radius of 100 miles and requires amateurs to have licenses in addition to controlling their wave lengths.

House Against Plan For Two Battleships

Votes Down Bill, 150 to 79; Sen-
ate Compromise Is One
New Vessel.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—The House voted today 150 to 79 a proposal by Representative Ford of Illinois (Rep.) for two battleships in the pending naval appropriation bill. The bill was voted down by a large margin. The Senate has passed a compromise bill for one new vessel.

JURORS EMBRACE LAWYER FRIENDS HOLD RECEPTION



CHARLES S. DARROW, WHO WAS ACQUITTED TODAY OF CHARGE OF BRIBING McNAMARA CASE JUROR.

DR. C. A. BUCKEL, SANTA ROSA BOY 'LITTLE MAJOR,' IS DEAD POISONS HIS PARENTS

Famous as Nurse in the
Army of Grant; Phil-
anthropist.

DR. C. Annette Buckel, one of the best-known women physicians of Oakland, and famous nationally as the "little major" of the Union Army because of her services during the Civil War, expired today at her home in Piedmont after nearly eight decades of a remarkable life.

In addition to being an honorary member of the Women's Professional League of Oakland Dr. Buckel was one of the trustees of the Mary R. Smith cottages in East Oakland, a charter member of the Ebull club and had devoted the last two years of her life to the inauguration of a special department in the public schools of Oakland for the education of defective children.

Dr. Buckel was born in Warsaw, N. Y. August 25, 1833, and graduated from the Woman's Medical College of Pennsylvania. At the outbreak of the Civil War she volunteered for service in the Union army and accompanied the troops through some of the bloodiest battles of the war. Later she received an appointment from the government to the state sanitary commission of Indiana. The appointment was extended to cover important service in the entire North.

JURY OUT JUST 34 MINUTES

Verdict of Acquittal Followed
by Remarkable Demon-
stration in Court

Three Ballots Taken After the
Judge Has Charged Favor-
ably to Defendant

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 17.—Clarence S. Darrow, the noted Chicago lawyer, was found not guilty today of a charge of bribing a juror in the McNamara case. The jury took 25 minutes in voting and was out but 34 minutes. Only three ballots were taken by the jury and each juror voted not guilty.

Although warned against any demonstration by the bailiffs, there was a spontaneous outburst of applause when Foreman M. R. Williams, in response to the court's query stated that the jury had found a verdict of not guilty. There was a rush to the side of the defendant which was stopped by the bailiffs, but it was renewed a few moments later after Judge Hutton thanked and discharged the jury.

Then ensued a remarkable scene. Darrow approached the jurors still in the box to thank them and two of them, Jurors Golding and Dunbar, threw their arms about him and patted his back. Other jurors reached forward and clasped hands with the attorney.

The scene gradually resolved itself into a reception for Darrow and the jurors, friends of the erstwhile defendant, crowded up to congratulate him and shake hands with the jurors, while the flashlights of newspaper photographers beamed from every angle of the courtroom.

SCENE IS DRAMATIC.
The final scene in the trial which lasted several days more than three months was dramatic in the extreme. The crowd which filled the courtroom when the jury filed out at 2:25 o'clock was still intact when the electric buzzer in the room summoned the bailiff to that occupied by the jury on the floor above.

Some psychological sense seemed to tell the waiting crowd, composed mostly of Darrow's friends, that the verdict would not be long in coming. The instructions of Judge Hutton convinced many of them that it would be a verdict of acquittal and the sound of the buzzer, followed by sudden activity among the bailiffs, electrified the crowd.

When the jurors filed into their seats hundreds searched the faces for some indication of the result of their brief deliberations. Most of the faces were expressionless, while one or two showed suppressed excitement.

LONG DRAWN OUT SIGH.
What sounded like one long drawn out sigh and a few handclaps followed the announcement of Foreman M. R. Williams that the verdict was "not guilty."

An effort had clearly been made to obey the warning against a demonstration and the spontaneous outburst ended abruptly.

With the formal thanking and discharging of the jury the crowd rushed forward to congratulate the Chicago lawyer and his wife, who had sat at his side since the trial began, but with only a passing acknowledgment

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COURT'S CHARGE REGARDED AS FAVORABLE TO DARROW

Judge Hutton Rules Out All Uncorroborated Testimony of Accomplices

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to them Darrow and his wife rushed over to the jury box.

F. E. Golding and M. O. Dunbar threw their arms about the erstwhile defendant and patting him on the back declared with smiles that it was the happiest day of their lives. Other jurors reached out and grasped the hands of Darrow and his wife and then the crowd pushed in and swarmed over the jury box.

HUTTON CONGRATULATES.
Judge Hutton was one of the first of the officials to congratulate Darrow.

"Hundreds of thousands of halcyons will go up from as many throats when they hear of this," said the judge as he grasped the hand of the vindicated lawyer.

A reception in which the Darrows and the members of the jury were the central figures, collected and lasted almost until noon. Congratulations also were showered on Attorney Earl Rogers, chief counsel for the defense, and his assistants.

Although the members of the jury declared they were always of one mind, three ballots were taken, in order, as one of them said, that no "undue haste" be shown.

"We wanted to consider a while and read over some of the instructions," said Foreman Williams.

FIRST IS 8 TO 4.

The first ballot was 8 to 4 for acquittal and the second 10 to 2. The third ballot was a unanimous vote for "not guilty."

The result of the vote was received with applause and cheers by the jurors, echoes of which were heard in the chambers below of Judge Hutton.

"We were afraid they would hear us in the courtroom," said Foreman Williams, "and I stopped them."

As soon as he could make his way out of the group surrounding him Darrow dictated the following statement to the Associated Press:

"It has been a long, hard ordeal, and of course I have a great sense of relief at its close. None of those who knew me ever believed that I was corrupt and their encouragement and faith has been my greatest help in this trial. The indictment and prosecution could not have happened except under the tense excitement and strain of the dramatic close of the McNamara case."

He shall spend the rest of my life as I have that which is best, in doing the best I can to serve the cause of the poor."

FREDERICKS PERTURBED.
District Attorney Fredericks was not present when the verdict was announced. He was visibly perturbed when informed of it.

"I have nothing to say," said Captain Fredericks, "except we gave the jury evidence which in our judgment was full and complete and convincing. I think the jury has taken into account what has been said by the defendant's counsel more than they have the evidence. However, we do not quarrel with verdicts of juries and decisions of judges. It is our business to present evidence and theirs to consider it. I imagine we will try the Bain case. I do not know for what reason why we should not. It is a far stronger case than this."

Associate Counsel H. H. Appel of the defense declared that it was the nature of the evidence against Darrow that brought about the verdict of acquittal.

"I have always felt," he said, "that no American jury would countenance a scheme to allow so many criminals to go free in order to convict a defendant. The American people are fair and manly and it was inhuman to ask a jury to convict Darrow upon testimony of so many self-confessed criminals."

MAY BE FREED.
It is generally believed that Darrow will not be tried and charged with indictment charging him with the bribery of Robert F. Bain, the first juror sworn to try James B. McNamara. The case will be called for setting Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock before Judge Hutton.

"We do not know what will happen after that," said Assistant District Attorney Ford. "We are not making any announcements as to further action by the State."

Darrow would make no announcement as to his future movements. He said that he had intended to return to Chicago as soon as possible, but he was undecided at the present time.

Before they dispersed to their respective homes for the first time in months without the ever-present Darrow, Mrs. Darrow collected the autographs of the twelve jurors. "They are my friends," she said, "and I will keep them forever."

As soon as the verdict became known on the street an American flag was displayed from the flagpole on the Labor Temple.

DARROW'S CASE. (The jury at 1:30 o'clock this morning after instructions by Judge George H. Hutton, the reading of which required just an hour. The instructions were regarded as very favorable to the defendant. One of the first instructions disposed of the charge of bribery of a juror, the court holding that there was no evidence to justify a verdict of guilty on that count. The jury was warned against uncorroborated testimony of accomplices and that of witnesses testifying under a promise of immunity.)

The court also instructed that the defendant was not on trial for any of the several crimes charged against him except that directly contained in the indictment. Evidence of other alleged crimes could only be considered if the jury believed that such crimes formed part of a general plan or system. Darrow was placed in the custody of his chief counsel, Attorney Earl Rogers, upon the submission of the case to the jury.

EXPECT EARLY VERDICT.
Most of the crowd which filled the courtroom remained, the prevailing sentiment being that there would be an early verdict. The penalty for the crime charged in the indictment, if the jury believed that such crimes formed part of a general plan or system, Darrow was placed in the custody of his chief counsel, Attorney Earl Rogers, upon the submission of the case to the jury.

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ITALIANS HEAR ADDRESS BY CONGRESSMAN



J. PANELLA.

Congressman Joseph R. Knowland received assurances of support last night from 350 voters who crowded Sabatino Hall at a meeting called by the Italian-American League, which has come out strongly for the legislation from this district.

Knowland was enthusiastically applauded when he reviewed his record in Congress and especially his fight in behalf of the not-to bill for the Panama Canal. Sheriff Frank Barnett also addressed the gathering, declaring himself a strong supporter of Knowland.

"This district needs a man in Congress," said Barnett, "whose experience and years of service entitle him to the prestige and influence so necessary to secure us the full measure of appropriations and federal assistance."

A direct outburst of the evening were Dan Ferguson, D. W. Woody, W. B. Sansone, George Ingraham and Virgil Capogreco, who spoke in Italian. J. Panella, president of the league, presided.

The program of entertainment included the following numbers: Jimmie Roban's Ragtime Entertainers; song, Sam Hardy; song and dance, Fred Bush; Hobrow monologue, H. Baker; quartet, Kroweck, H. Brown, M. McCarthy, Martin solo, Nick P. Elias; violin solo, Manlio C. Silva.

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SAN FRANCISCO HIDES HAND IN AMENDMENT

Little Publicity Given in Effort to Hide Real Meaning of Issue

The signatures to the Greater San Francisco Consolidation Association's petition to the initiative amendment to the constitution of the state, now filed with the secretary of state and listed by him on the ballot, which will be used at the general election in November, as "Constitutional Amendment No. 3," were obtained with so little publicity and such vague representation of what it meant that even members of the legal profession in this city and throughout the state, outside of San Francisco and Los Angeles, have not had an opportunity to read its context and study its purpose.

They have not, apparently, the slightest comprehension of it as a measure which only San Francisco, at the present time, can utilize in the fullest degree, or that it provides the groundwork for the possible future disruption of a great number of the counties of the state, which the constitution, as it now exists, safeguards.

For the enlightenment of the people of the state generally, it is, therefore, only fair that they should be specially informed of its purpose, and there is no better way for them to be acquainted with this than through the publication of the text of the initiative amendment to the constitution which the Greater San Francisco Consolidation Association has been able to place on the ballot for the general election next November than its reproduction in the press as filed.

LIABLE FOR DEBTS.
Such new consolidated city and county shall be liable for a just proportion of the existing debts and liabilities of the county, or counties, included in whole or in part, in such new consolidated city and county, and shall be entitled to a just proportion of the property of such county, or counties, and until such proportion is determined by law, such new consolidated city and county shall be entitled to the use of any property of such county, or counties, included in whole or in part, in such new consolidated city and county, and such county or counties shall be entitled to the use of any property of such county, or counties, included in whole or in part, in such new consolidated city and county.

Such new consolidated government shall also be liable for all the existing debts and liabilities of any municipal corporation included therein; but provision shall be made for the payment of all outstanding bonds of such municipality, respectively, by such consolidated city and county, or counties, and shall be liable for the same at the time of consolidation.

LAW FOR ORGANIZATION.
General laws may provide for the organization of county government and for the holding and territorial jurisdiction of superior courts in the remainder of any county whenever territory consolidated into a city and county government under the provisions hereof, shall include the county seat of any county, such organization, county government, and such holding and jurisdiction of superior courts to continue until such time as the same is otherwise provided for by law.

The charter of such new consolidated city and county government shall provide for the places of holding sessions of the superior courts and of all inferior courts exercising jurisdiction therein.

IT SHOULD BE BORNE IN MIND BY THE READER THAT ONLY ONE CITY EXISTS IN THE STATE—NAMESLY, SAN FRANCISCO—AN AVAIL ITSELF OF THE PRIVILEGE ACCORDED IN THE FOREGOING INITIATIVE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT. THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES CANNOT INVADE ANY OTHER COUNTY AND MUST REMAIN PASADENA, LONG BEACH, SANTA MONICA AND NUMEROUS MINOR TOWNS AND SETTLEMENTS AND INTERVENING TERRITORY IN THE COUNTY BEFORE IT CAN ATTEMPT CONQUEST TO ORANGE, RIVERSIDE AND SAN BERNARDINO COUNTIES, AND OAKLAND AND THE EAST BAY SHORE CITIES DO NOT POSSESS, COMBINED, THE NECESSARY POPULATION, ACCORDING TO THE LATEST UNITED STATES CENSUS, TO QUALIFY FOR CONSOLIDATION, IF THEY SO DESIRE.

MERRITT SADLY DISAPPOINTS HIM

Stranger Finds No Battleships,
But Meets With Bunko
Artists.

Disappointed at not finding a fleet of battleships, several whales and a flock of seals gambling in a friendly manner in Lake Merritt, Walter J. Burris of the small town of Gainesboro, Tenn., who had been induced to visit Oakland in the hope of seeing this excellent spectacle, rebelled yesterday afternoon when his two guides offered to take him to Mosswood park to see the wild animals.

Burris had met the two men who offered to show him the wonders of Oakland while on the train to San Francisco. At the time he had over \$500 on his person.

The two westerners led Burris to Oakland and attempted to take him to some secluded spot, far from the madding crowd, where they could explain the beauties of California to the Tennesseean. At Twenty-third and Webster streets, having failed to discover the seven wonders of the world conveniently collected in Lake Merritt, Burris refused to go further in the fear of falling worse. One of his guides struck him, while the other struck his purse from his pocket with a deft wrist motion more wonderful than anything previously observed. Then the two men ran.

Burris called wildly for assistance, and started in pursuit. John Naegle saw the trouble while passing in his buggy and joined the pursuit. The two men dropped the purse as a precautionary measure, and made good their escape.

The police were summoned, and Acting Chief J. F. Lynch, Acting Day Captain William Woods and Inspector McSorley hurried to the scene. They made unavailing search for the two bunko artists, and gave Burris a little free advice about the best means of obtaining reliable information when in a strange land.

'BLUES' ATTACK 'RED' INVADERS

Col. Bowen Directs Heavy Fire
Against Wankowski's
Men.

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a heavy rifle fire from the higher points among the hills.

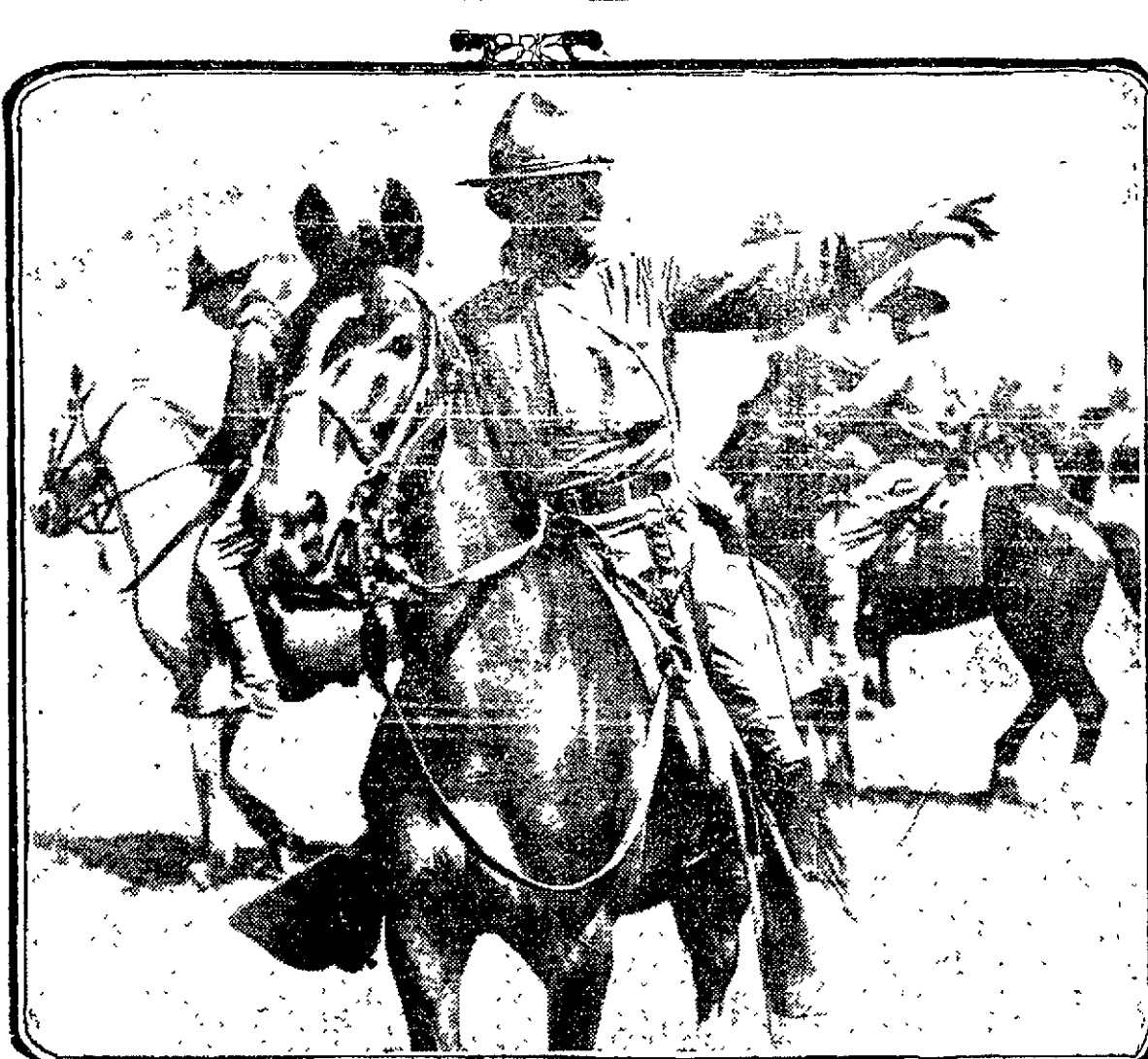
OAKLAND SOLDIERS FIGHT FIRE.

COYOTE, Cal., Aug. 17.—Interrupted during gun drill by a raging grass and brush fire, batteries A and B of the National Guard, the latter from Oakland, and the First Utah battery fought the flames with true soldierly courage and energy. The fire was caused by sparks from discharges of the Utah guns, which set the grass afire. About fifty acres of grass and brush covered land were swept and only prompt action on the part of the militiamen prevented a greater damage to property. Several of the men were overcome by the heat, but no injuries were suffered.

LEGISLATIVE BODIES FOR ALASKA PLANNED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Conferees on the Alaska "home rule" bill agreed to report in favor of striking out the Senate's amendment for a territorial senate only and provide, as originally proposed, for two legislative bodies, to be known as the Senate and the House of Representatives. The other Senate amendment proposing the appointment of a railroad commission to investigate the transportation situation in Alaska will remain in the bill and be pressed for passage.

Lieut. C. T. Hogan of Battery B giving orders to his men and view of members of Battery B in the field



ILLINOIS SOCIETY HAS MELON FEAST

Lively Meeting of Former
Easterners Held in
Oakland.

The members and friends of the Illinois Society of California, met recently at Havens Hall, 529 Twelfth street. Rev. Thomas Boyer, pastor of the First Christian church of Oakland, spoke. A resolution was given by Mrs. Britton, and "A Story" by Mrs. Jordan. The rest of the evening was devoted to a melon feast.

Lectures from the Chamber of Commerce of Oakland and the Panama-Pacific Exposition company were read.

On Tuesday evening, August 27, a benefit theater party will be given by this society at Le Liberty theater, and all Illinoisans have been urged to purchase tickets of members of the society.

The committee handling this affair consists of Mrs. Birdie Pilcher, Frontier, chairman; Mrs. Murphy and Mrs. Anna Cannon of 1007 Broadway, room 25.

The next business meeting of the society will take place on Monday evening, August 26, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sweet, 2419 Wallace street, East Oakland. Take Diamond car to Twenty-fourth street. All members are requested to attend.

The next regular "dime entertainment" and meeting will take place on Monday evening, September 9, at Havens Hall. A. A. Dennison, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce will address the society on that occasion.

Inquiries regarding the society may be addressed to the secretary, Mrs. Frontier, at 888 Twenty-seventh street, Oakland.

GETS THIRD PARTY JOB.

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Henry F. Cochran, Milwaukee, has been appointed chairman of the speakers' bureau of the Progressive party for the presidential campaign.

**ADD ZEST
TO YOUR**

**SUNDAY
DINNER**

Send for one of our Delicious Ice Cream Bricks

Almond
Nougatine
Pineapple Water
Ice
Vanilla Ice Cream
One quart serves eight persons
50c
If we deliver it 80c

The Liberty
OAKLAND CAL.

LAND PURCHASED BY WESTINGHOUSE

Addition to Pacific Brake Com-
pany Factory Will Be
Erected.

S. G. Down, vice-president of the Westinghouse Pacific Brake Company, has just completed negotiations for the purchase of the portion of the block bounded by Halleck street, Park avenue, Hubbard street and the Santa Fe main line tracks not already owned by the company. The factory now in operation on the piece of company land was built but four months ago and must be enlarged at once to meet the orders pouring in.

The land was purchased from Crane Company and will be used for the addition to the factory would be begun at the earliest possible moment. The demand for air compressors and for electrical apparatus is increasing each year in Oakland, as the new interurban lines are placed in operation and as the factories do away with steam and the Westinghouse Company is expected to gradually build factories capable of handling the entire demand west of the Rocky mountain and in the Hawaiian Islands.

WATCH IS STOLEN.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—Mrs. A. Kemp of 1437 Eddy street had her gold watch stolen from her while she was a passenger on a California street car en route to the Ferry last evening.

Writes Millions of Insurance; Had None of His Own

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—After spending a lifetime writing millions of insurance for other people, Archibald C. Haynes died without any insurance of his own life. In his will just filed here he only left a \$500 estate, which goes to his widow.

Haynes was at one time one of the best known insurance men in the country. He was general agent of the Equitable for many years and later was president of the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance Company.

AT THE BANFF SPRINGS HOTEL

CANADIAN ROCKY MOUNTAINS

BATHING IN HOT SULPHUR WATERS

Two immense new concrete swimming pools.

Turkish and Russian Baths. Experienced Swedish Masseurs.

Over 100 Dressing Rooms. Most complete bathing establishment on the continent.

For information ask hotel rates, etc., call or write to G. M. JACKSON, Gen. Agt., Palace Hotel Bldg., San Francisco.

CENTRAL OAKLAND CIVIC LEAGUE CHEERS MULLINS

Straightforward Manner of Candidate
Wins Him Friends

John F. Mullins, chairman of the Alameda county board of supervisors for the Republican nomination from the Fifth supervisorial district, was given a hearty welcome at a meeting of the Central Oakland Civic League held last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Williamson, 5802 Telegraph avenue.

The Central Oakland Civic League is representative of the best citizenship of Central Oakland, and the members were very much impressed with the straightforward manner with which Mullins discussed the public affairs of Alameda county. He was given close attention as he spoke in detail of his efforts during the past four years to establish a businesslike and economical conduct of affairs in this county.

A large and enthusiastic meeting of the supporters of Mullins in his campaign for re-nomination for supervisor was held at the home of Mrs. Mary G. Dwyer, 4080 Broadway, recently.

The women of this particular section of Mullins' district are taking a great interest in his winning fight for a re-nomination to the office he now holds, as they realize his record during the past three and a half years is without a blemish, and that his voice and vote have always been on the side of decency.

Will Be Witness At Own Inquest

Man Supposed to Have Been
Drowned Turns Up
Alive.

WALTHAM, Mass., Aug. 17.—Chas. Becker, a painter, will be the principal witness at an inquest into his supposed death, to be held in the District Court next week. Becker will be summoned because Medical Examiner George L. West filed a certificate to the effect that Becker met death by drowning on July 25. A body that was found on July 25 was identified two days later by his wife and was properly buried in Mount Peake cemetery. Recently Becker turned up alive at his home.

ELOPING GIRL IS CAUGHT BY OFFICER

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 17.—The elopement plans of 18-year-old Stella Hogan of Reno were frustrated here today by Probation Officer Cook. She had planned to elope with a man many years her senior, and stole away from her home to Sacramento, where she was to wait for him. Her mother learned of the runaway and wired to the local officers, who found the girl waiting for her lover. She was taken back to Reno tonight.

Gives Blood in Vain Effort to Save Wife

A Newspaperman Submits to
Transfusion Operation,
but in Vain.

SPOKANE, Wash., Aug. 17.—In a vain attempt to save the life of his wife, Frederick A. Adams, a local newspaperman, submitted yesterday to a blood transfusion operation. More than a pint of blood was transfused to the arteries of Mrs. Adams, but it failed to save her and death followed last yesterday. Mrs. Adams was suffering from peritonitis.

Mrs. Adams' name before her marriage was Helen M. Hussey and her home was in San Francisco, where she was prominent in musical circles. Her parents are residents of San Francisco. The deceased leaves a husband and a daughter, Lucia, aged 8 months.

TO REPAY POSTMASTER FOR SUM EMBEZZLED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Senator Bourne for the committee on postoffices today favorably reported the Senate bill for the payment of \$11,226 to Postmaster George W. Hoy at Cheyenne, Wyo., for sums embezzled in his office last year by a subordinate.

STACHLER CLUB HOLDS MEETING

Congressman Knowland, Su-
pervisor Mullins and As-
semblyman Endorsed.

The Eugene Stachler Political, Social and Improvement club held a Knowland meeting Friday evening in Stachler hall, 3121 Adeline street. The hall was crowded with the Knowland constituents of that neighborhood, who came to hear the reasons for the re-election of Mr. Knowland. D. Sullivan, H. Summers, L. Lee, E. Smith, Joe Silva, and former Councilman Eugene Stachler spoke on the Congressman's able and efficient work during the fifteen years he has served the people. Assemblyman George Fitzgerald and Supervisor Mullins, who together with Congressman Knowland, were endorsed by the club, came in for their share of praise also. At the close of the speeches refreshments were served.

This club will hold a big Knowland rally on Friday evening, August 30. Congressman Knowland, Supervisor Mullins, Assemblyman Fitzgerald and others will make addresses. Refreshments will be served.

ATTACKED BY ANTS LABORER MAY DIE

OROVILLE, Aug. 17.—An unidentified man, apparently a laborer, is in a precarious condition at the county hospital as a result of being attacked by ants while asleep. The man was intoxicated and had fallen asleep alongside the railroad track. The ants ate the skin off his neck and arms.

KNOW LEAVES CAPITAL ON TRIP TO JAPAN

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Secretary of State Knox left Washington for Seattle last night en route to Tokyo to represent President Taft at the funeral of the late Emperor of Japan.

RESIDENCE LOOTED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—The residence of Gustave Fiesner, 1932 Baker street, was broken into by burglars yesterday and \$125 in valuables stolen.

HIST! BURGLAR SCARE IN SACRED PIEDMONT

Night Alarm Sounded by Night-Gowned
Resident on Lawn

PIEDMONT, Aug. 17.—Awakened by hearing two men whispering in his room, Paul H. Coop, a traveling salesman, leaped from the window of his residence at 1815 Oakland avenue last night, and clad only in his night gown raced across to a neighbor's house and executed a highland ding on the lawn.

"Help!" yelled Coop. "Burglars in my house. Somebody give me a gun."

The neighbor on whose lawn Coop danced first happened to be at the theater and only two frightened women went to the front door. When they saw the apparition waving his arms frantically and shouting "burglars" the two women promptly retreated into the house and Coop, still in his night gown, ran a block to another house where he telephoned to the fire house a short distance away and notified the marshal on duty of the situation.

COMMUNITY AWAKENS.

Meanwhile that portion of Piedmont which centers at Highland and Oakland avenues had come to life and was trying to learn what it was all about.

Joseph B. Donnelly, who lives next door to Coop, presented the latter with a pair of shoes and another neighbor gave him an ulster. Then

the three occupants of the house were in bed and the front and back doors were locked.

NEVERTHELESS, COOP DENIED STOUTLY

the suggestion that he had been suffering from a nightmare and insisted that he was positive he had heard the voices of two men in his bedroom and that he heard them moving about.

"Any window was open," he said, "and I just jumped out thinking that if I could get the marshal over there we could surround the house and catch them. I don't know what it was that woke me, but certainly heard voices and creaking boards. I don't think it could have been a nightmare."

This morning evidence was found of hand and footprints on the window sill of the kitchen.

Mrs. Coop said she heard some one moving in the house but thought it was her husband until she heard him shouting on the neighbor's lawn. Nothing in the house was disturbed.

HOLD MEETING IN INGRAHAM'S INTEREST

A meeting was held last night at 1246 Fifty-fourth avenue in the interests of George Ingraham, candidate for the assembly from the Thirty-fifth district.

The principal speakers of the evening were Ingraham and Supervisor W. B. Reide. Ingraham pledged himself to serve against the proposition to merge Oakland with a Greater San Francisco, and declared that he was not controlled by anyone or any party.

Three citizens presided at the meeting as a campaign committee. Mesdames Christopher, chairman, Kirk, Wiggins, Peter, Johnson, Kaufman, Avilar and others.

All hands then closed in around Coop's house and the representatives of the law were hoisted head first into the bedroom window from which Coop had made his flying exit. Reide for the moment took the other

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PRIZES ANNOUNCED IN SAN JOSE MEET

Rich Awards Hung Up for Win-
ners in Auto and Motor-
Bike Contests.

E. W. Allen, manager of the Santa Clara Fair and Fourth National Industrial Food Exposition, has just issued the following program for the automobile and motorcycle track races, to be held on the San Jose driving park September 8 and 9.

First Event—Motorcycle race; entrance fee \$10; distance 10 miles; open to all comers.

Second Event—Automobile races; entrance fee \$25; distance 25 miles; Class D, free for all; open to any gasoline car which complies with the definition of a "motor car," without restriction to piston displacement, weight, price or quantity produced. This race is to be run off in five-mile heats, two on September 8 and three on September 9; the best three out of five winning.

In the event of two entrants winning two heats apiece and another entrant one the race will be decided by the position of the cars in the races or heat not won, or in the event of two cars being tied at the end of the fifth heat an extra heat will be run to decide. In the event of one entrant winning the first three heats the other two heats to be run in order to decide second and third places.

Third Event—Automobile races, entrance fee \$10; distance 10 miles; Class B stock cars. Piston displacement up to 250 cubic inches. This race is for stock cars only, such as are regularly sold and listed by the manufacturer, and must carry the original body, bonnet, dash and tonneau, but may be stripped of lamps, fenders, extra equipment.

Fourth Event—Second heat of second event; free for all; 5 miles; conditions same as in second event.

Fifth Event—Handicap pursuit race; for local stock cars; entrance fee \$10; distance 10 miles; to be handicapped according to the judgment of the referees. The entrants will be started at separate intervals. The car passing the first starter and holding the lead for one lap wins.

SIXTH DAY'S RACING, SEPT. 9.

Sixth Event—Motorcycle race; entrance fee \$5; distance 5 miles; open to all comers.

Seventh Event—Third heat of second event; free for all; five miles; conditions same as in second event.

Eighth Event—Class B stock cars; entrance fee \$10; distance ten miles; piston displacement 201 to 450 cubic inches open to all comers.

Ninth Event—Fourth heat of second event; free for all; 5 miles; conditions same as in second event.

Tenth Event—Record challenge race; entrance fee \$50; distance 25 miles; open to all comers.

Louis Disbrow drove the 25 miles on this track April 14, 1912, in 22:24.2-5 seconds, making the fastest mile in 52 seconds. Unless this is beaten no person will be paid. In other words, the purse of \$1000 will be paid to the driver lowering this time by the greatest margin.

Eleventh Event—Final heat of second event; free for all; five miles; conditions same as in second event.

Twelfth Event—Final heat of second event; free for all; five miles; conditions same as in second event.

First Event—\$100, divided \$50, \$25 and \$25.

Second Event—\$500, divided \$250, \$100 and \$50.

Third Event—Santa Clara county fair cup. Second prize diploma, third prize banner.

Fourth Event—Second heat of second event.

Fifth Event—\$100, divided \$50, \$20 and \$30.

Sixth Event—Trophy and special premium.

Seventh Event—Third heat of second event.

Eighth Event—Fourth heat of second event.

Ninth Event—\$1000; no division. To be paid in accordance with the conditions heretofore set forth.

Eleventh Event—Final heat of second event.

ESSENKAY SHIPMENT NEAR HERE.

Essekay Shipment, managers of the Essekay Sales Co. was advised by the transportation office this morning that his long-expected initial shipment of Essekays, in all probability, would be here and be unloaded by Monday morning.

It has been held along the line for a week, longer than the usual period required in sailing goods from the East.

Inquiries from automobile owners as to a part of this new line program will be made in due time to the Essekay Sales Co.

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Sunday Topics in the Pulpits

OFFICERS ENDORSE REV. G. W. WHITE

Parishioners to Seek Re-election of Incumbent Pastor of First Methodist.

Officials of the First Methodist Episcopal Church of this city unanimously endorsed Rev. George W. White, pastor of the church, for re-election as leader of that congregation.

At the regular conference of Methodist Episcopal churches to be held at Pacific Grove, Dr. White will be recommended to Bishop Hughes to be retained as spiritual director of the church.

Six years ago Dr. White was called to the local pastorate from the Central Methodist Episcopal Church of San Francisco as the successor of Rev. E. R. Dille. In all the moral reforms that have been agitated in this community, Dr. White has played an important part.

CONGREGATIONAL.
Fourth Congregational, Grove and Thirty-sixth streets, Rev. Benjamin L. Britton, pastor—The pastor will conduct both the services. The theme of the morning service will be "What is Christianity?" the evening, "Father's Choice."

Market Congregational Church, Myrtle street, between Fourteenth and Sixteenth streets, Rev. Griffith Griffiths, pastor—Morning subject, "The Parable of the Lost Sheep."

Plymouth Congregational Church, Piedmont and Laurel avenues, Rev. Albert W. Palmer, pastor—The pastor will conduct both the services. The theme of the morning service will be "The Great Things of the Soul," evening subject, "A Parable from the Sea."

Oliver Congregational Church, which meets in Rock Ridge Hall, corner of Lawton and College avenues, North Oakland, holds services at regular hours: Sunday-school, 9:45; morning service, 11 o'clock; evening service, 7:30. The pastor, Rev. Griffith Griffiths, will preach on "The Call for Concentration," evening service, "The Parable of the Lost Sheep." Rev. Benjamin Gold, pastor.

LUTHERAN.

First English Lutheran Church, corner of Sixteenth and Grove streets, Rev. Harvey M. Leach, pastor—Morning worship at 11 o'clock, subject, "The World in the Church," evening, 8 o'clock, subject, "Who Touched Me?" Mrs. A. W. Leman will sing special selections at both services.

A feature of the services at the First English Evangelical Lutheran Church at the corner of Sixteenth and Grove streets during the month of August has been the special music given by Mrs. A. W. Leman, a talented vocalist, recently of Chicago, Illinois, but now a resident of Oakland. In connection with the special music, sermons preached by the pastor, Rev. Harvey M. Leach, on the subject of "Parables of the Kingdom," the music has been such as to draw the interest and draw large congregations.

On Sunday evening, August 25, the pastor will be installed by representatives of the California Lutheran conference. The ceremony will be a part of the service which will be in charge of the former pastor, Rev. Oscar H. Gruver, who will also give an address. The ceremony will be given by Rev. H. S. Felix, pastor of St. Mark's Lutheran Church of San Francisco. The charge to the congregation will be given by Rev. George W. Leman of York, Pennsylvania, president of the Board of Home Missions of the General Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in the United States of America.

Our Savior Danish Lutheran Church, East Fifteenth street and Second avenue, Rev. M. N. Andersen, pastor—Sunday-school, 10 a. m.; morning service, 11 a. m.; evening with sermon, 8 p. m.; Young People's Society, Thursday, 8 p. m.; confirmation class, Saturday, 2 p. m., in pastor's home.

Athens Avenue Norwegian Lutheran Church, near San Pablo and Twenty-fifth, Rev. E. S. Belum, pastor—Services, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Y. P. S., Wednesday, 8 p. m.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran church, corner Seventeenth avenue and East Fifteenth street, Rev. H. S. Felix, pastor—Services every Sunday morning 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 9:15 a. m.

The members and friends of the First English Evangelical Lutheran church, corner Sixteenth and Grove streets, will give a social and program in the church parlors Thursday evening, August 23, from 8 to 10 o'clock.

St. Paul's English Evangelical Lutheran Church, Thirty-second and Linden streets—In the afternoon at 2 o'clock, installation services; Rev. E. M. Stenlund of San Francisco will officiate. He will be assisted by Rev. E. S. Belum of this city and Rev. O. Granberg of San Francisco. Rev. O. Granberg will be installed as the pastor of the church. The musical program will be: Anthem, "Oh Be Joyful"; hymn, "O Lord, Thy Word"; hymn, "Hallelujah"; hymn, "The Church is the Body of Christ." The following Sunday Rev. J. C. Ehnard will preach his installation sermon.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.
The subject of tomorrow's lesson in all of the Christian Science churches of this city is "Soul." Services are held as follows:

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Seventeenth and Franklin streets—Sunday services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m.; Wednesday evening testimonial meeting, 8 o'clock. Reading-room in the church, open from 1 to 4 p. m.

Second Church of Christ, Scientist, Lincoln Hall, Thirteenth street, between Broadway and Franklin—Sunday services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m.; Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 p. m.

Third Church of Christ, Scientist, Fruitvale and East Twenty-fourth streets and Thirty-fourth avenue—Sunday services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m.; Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 p. m.

UNITARIAN.

Emmanuel Presbyterian church, Forty-ninth and Webster streets—11 a. m., Rev. Wills of Sacramento will speak; 2:30 p. m., Rev. R. S. Eastman of Knox Presbyterian will preach; 9:45 a. m., bible school; 7:30 p. m., quiet hour; 8:30 p. m., Y. P. S.

First Unitarian, corner Fourteenth and Castro streets, William Day Simmonds, minister—Service at 11 a. m. Introductory address, "Fool's Sport Playing War," sermon, "The Red Cross Heroine," Clara Barton.

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Sunday services at 11 a. m.; testimonial meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Fourth Church of Christ, Scientist, Masonic Temple, Eighth avenue and East Fourteenth street—Sunday services at 11 a. m.; Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m.; Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock.

Fifth Church of Christ, Scientist—Sunday services at 11 a. m.; Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m.; Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 p. m. Free reading-room open daily except Sunday, from 2 to 4 p. m., at 8908 East Fourteenth street.

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Christian Science reading rooms, maintained by five churches in Oakland, are located on the seventh floor, Stockton and Broadway, 414 Thirteenth street, between Broadway and Franklin. Open to the public week days from 9:30 a. m. to 9 p. m., excepting Wednesday evening, when they close at 7 p. m.; Sundays from 2 to 5 p. m.

EPISCOPAL.

St. Paul's Church, Grand avenue, near Webster, Rev. Alexander Allen, rector; St. Paul's, 11 a. m., Sunday-school, 11 a. m., morning prayer and sermon; 11 a. m., Sunday-school; 11 a. m., morning prayer and sermon.

Good Samaritan Church, Oak and Ninth streets, Rev. R. Franklin Hart, vicar—11 a. m., morning prayer and sermon; 2:30 p. m., Sunday-school; 8 p. m., evening service.

St. John's Church, Eighth and Grove streets, Rev. Edgar F. Gee, rector; Rev. Edgar Everett, vicar—7:45 a. m., holy communion; 10 a. m., Sunday-school; 11 a. m., evening prayer and sermon.

St. Peter's chapel, Rockridge, College and Shattuck avenues, Rev. Edgar F. Gee, rector; Rev. Edgar Everett, vicar—7:45 a. m., holy communion; 10 a. m., Sunday-school; 11 a. m., evening prayer and sermon.

St. Paul's Episcopal church, Camp street and Alameda avenue, Fruitvale, Rev. Mardon D. Wilson, pastor—Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m.; evening service resumed, beginning at 7:45 p. m.

St. Andrew's Episcopal church, Twelfth and Macdonald streets, Rev. Geo. C. Gold, rector; Miss Laura Baker, organist—Sunday school, 10 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon, "Re-encounter," 11 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, "Till Will," 8 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN.
The First Presbyterian church, corner Fourteenth and Franklin streets, Rev. F. L. Goodspeed, D. D., pastor; W. A. Horn, assistant—Morning worship at 11 a. m., subject, "What is God?" evening, 8 o'clock, subject, "Paul Vice Versa." Preaching both morning and evening by Rev. Doremus Scudder, D. D., of Honolulu.

Second Presbyterian church, Union street, between Eighth and Tenth streets—Prof. H. C. Biddle of the university will occupy the pulpit morning and evening, morning subject, "Evangelism," evening subject to be announced. A special feature of the morning service will be the singing of the hymn "The Church is the Body of Christ," by Mrs. Helen Jenkins. Wednesday night prayer meeting will be of special interest.

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Short Sermons for Busy Readers

'IDEALS OF LIFE'

Text, "What is your life?"—James 4:14.

This is a pertinent question. "What is life?" is the primary, the general question. The introduction of the personal pronoun makes it particular, specific, pertinent. What is your view of the germ of life imparted to you, and how are you using that wonderful gift of life? Have there come to you any lofty ideals of what you may do or possibly become? What of your life's future, what of its destiny, what of its end? Your past made the present, your present makes the future.

The question becomes still more particular, specific, pertinent, by the change of the pronoun "you" to "my." We then read the question thus, "What is my life?" What has my life been from its beginning, what is it now, what will it be? The aspirations, the inspirations, the enthusiasms of my life—what have they been, what are they now, what will they be later on? What influence have they on my life, what bearing do they have on my life, what influence and bearing will they have on my life? What has my life been, what is it now, what will it be in its service to mankind?

INFLUENCE AMONG WONDERS.

It is wonderful what an influence the possession of an idea or an opinion has on a life, on its fellows, on the generation, on the world. It is perhaps as striking to observe how seemingly useless is that life which is not dominated by some great aim or purpose. Each human being is dominated by some motive or impulse, however low or vile, or noble or good, however degrading or humiliating, or uplifting or exalting it may be. Ideals may be low or mediocre, they may be great and grand in conception and imagination. A man's life and his value to humanity will depend on whether his ideal is a low one or a high one, whether he is living content in attaining a low aim in life, or whether he is pursuing the grand conceptions of a vivid imagination. It is for man's good that it is so, that his ideals increase in excellence, greatness, beauty, purity, as he himself increases in these selfsame attributes it may be said, but no, this is true—the man grows in accord with his ideal and his desire to attain it.

VALUE OF MANKIND.

Browning gives us the thought that "the low man sees a little thing and does it, the high man sees something great and dies before he knows it." Herein is our value to mankind. No man has ever been really or truly great, or been of large value to mankind, save he to whom life is one great vision and the attainment of which is its goal. Says one, "By aspirations and ideals God lures men forward unto the soul's undiscovered country. In the long ago the star moving on before guided the wise men of the east to the manger where the young child lay; and still in man's night God hangs aspirations, stars for guiding men away from the slough of content to the hills of paradise."

Philosophers say that the history of civilization is the history of its great men. Let us note that the history of all great men is the history of their ideal hours, of their visions. Their yearnings within being but the source of all their achievements without.

Would you be something of value, would you make your life count? It depends upon the estimate you have of your life, whether to you it is "a goblet to be drained, or it is rather a measure to be filled." God had some great plan in mind for you. Seek to know it, dream of it and to attain it.

"Couldst thou in vision see thyself the man God meant."

Thou never more couldst be the man thou art content."

Yes, what is your life, what is my life? Is it one great vision, so that when the great change or transition comes we will be able to say with the great apostle, "I was not disobedient to the heavenly vision?"

Harvey M. Leach

Rev. Harvey Leach is pastor of the First English Lutheran Church of this city.

Ygnacio avenue, Melrose—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Preaching Tuesday, 8 p. m.

MISCELLANEOUS.
Trinity Episcopal church, 525 Twelfth street—7:45, Mrs. Covell, Mr. Brown and others.

The Spiritual Thought Exchange meets every Sunday at 8 p. m. at 880 Eighteenth street, near San Pablo avenue, subject, "Justice," with messages by Mrs. Tyler-Moulton, Mrs. H. Gray, Dr. Crocker and others. Spiritual culture every Tuesday and Thursday at 8 p. m.

First Spiritual Church of Oakland, 519 Athens avenue, or Twenty-fifth street, near San Pablo avenue—Sunday, at 8 p. m.; lectures and music, Mrs. Clara Ford, Mrs. Parsons and Mrs. Taylor. Tuesday, 2:30 p. m., Ladies' Aid connected with the church have reopened their message meetings. Wednesday, at 8 p. m., experience and test meeting.

Psychical Science meeting, 625 Twelfth street, Havana building—Sunday, 9:45 a. m., sermon, "What Makes Success," by William Winter and Mrs. McMillen, followed by lectures and spiritual healing by Mrs. McMillen and other teachers; vocal solos by Flory McClure.

International Bible Students' Association will meet for bible study every Sunday and Wednesday at 8 o'clock, at 2701 Twelfth and Alice streets.

TRUTH CENTER.

The Rock Ridge Truth Center, 6564 Levent Avenue—Sunday-school, 10 a. m.; morning service, 11 a. m.; Speaker, Mrs. Ida Marnold-Wilson, on "The Light of the World." Healing meeting every Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

JAPANESE RESENT SECRETARY'S VISIT

Statesman Declares Knox's Presence at Funeral Will Be Impertinence.

PARIS, Aug. 17.—A Japanese financier whose official mission in Paris prevents his name being given, in reply to a question by a correspondent as to the truth of the statement that the visit of Secretary Knox to Japan to attend the Emperor's funeral was resented in that country.

"Mr. Knox's presence at the Emperor's funeral is viewed by the Japanese, the highest and lowest alike, as evidence of gross bad taste. Evidently, the Japanese Foreign Office is unable to say so, as courtesy is a primordial factor in my country."

"Nevertheless, we Japanese who will see him at the Mikado's funeral will feel he is in our country on business, and that he is working his dollar doctrine. We regarded the Mikado with veneration, and the presence of any business element at the coming sacred rite is to us an impertinence."

AUTOS AND THE YOSEMITE.
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(Morning)

"The Brook That Dried Up"

Rev. Thos. A. Boyer, Pastor.
Hear Him Sunday.

(Evening)

"The Man With Four Faces"

COLONEL APPEALS ENEMIES OF MINT TO NEW ENGLAND AGAIN DEFEATED

Declares Rhode Island Has Suffered as New York Has Suffered.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 17.—An appeal for leadership from New England in the movement of the Progressive party was made here last night by Colonel Roosevelt in his first speech since his nomination in Chicago.

He declared that the ordinary voter had nothing to hope for through the success of either the Democratic or Republican parties, which he asserted, are equally boss-ridden. The tariff, especially as it concerned the New England states, was one of the main topics of the speaker, who said in part:

"I take peculiar pleasure in making my first speech as nominee of the Progressive party here in Rhode Island. You have suffered, as in my own state of New York we have suffered, from boss politics in the most extreme form of development. The Progressive movement is aimed at the rotten machines, the rotten boss system of both parties. Only by supporting the Progressive party can you strike an effective blow against the boss rule and machine and ring politics in the United States."

SCORES NEWSPAPERS.

"One of the great troubles here as elsewhere is that the representatives of privileges in finance and politics control most of the newspapers, so that the ordinary man finds the channels of information choked. I do not so much mind the editorial columns being closed against us, but it is a matter for real regret that the news columns are closed to us."

"We stand for a protective tariff, but we want to see the benefits of the protective tariff get into the pay envelope of the wage worker. Instead of decreasing, we wish to increase the amount of the prize money that is rightfully the property of the wage worker, but we stand for a more equitable division of the prize money. Moreover, our movement is not only for economic, but for ethical betterment."

"One of our national problems calling for immediate solution is that of our banking and currency system. This country should have as good a system as any in the world. We must have a currency that will meet the requirements of the whole country. It must have elasticity. It must be absolutely beyond question in character, ranking with the best in the world. Any plan adopted must keep the control of the currency in the hands of the government. Only in this way can we prevent the growth in this country of the most dangerous of all trusts, the money trust. Even at present, the control of the currency is in the hands of a few men, and the money trust is absolutely in the hands of the government."

FANCY VEST ATTRACTS FANCY OF ROBBER

STOCKTON, Cal., Aug. 17.—A Bergen, who is interested in the management of local hotels, is minus a fancy vest. Early this morning a man named Barker stepped from behind a tree and ordered him to throw up his hands. They then relieved him of a \$30 check. As they were about to order him to throw up his hands, the robber cried out: "I have a fancy vest, and I want to see it. Quickly, do it, the two hold-ups disappeared."

OPPORTS CONSOLIDATION.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Representative Baker yesterday saw President Taft and Secretary of the Interior Fisher relative to the consolidation of the Bureau of Land Office with the Sacramento office, and with strong protest against the consolidation.

VAST TRACT OF LAND WILL BE RECLAIMED

STOCKTON, Aug. 17.—Five thousand acres of land along the San Joaquin river in Stanislaus county are to be reclaimed. The project, estimated at \$100,000, according to information given out by Judge Edwin F. Fitzgerald, L. E. Bahrens and George C. Ross of the Turlock Garden and Land Company.

It is one of the largest reclamation projects ever attempted in Stanislaus county. A levee seven miles long will be built along the river bank, and the vast area from flood water and will transform dismal swamps into excellent alfalfa lands. The levee will be thirty feet wide and fifteen feet high. The company owns 2500 acres of the tract and the remainder belongs to A. Chatman.

BANKERS ON WAY TO SALT LAKE CONVENTION

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—The Chicago chapter of the American Institute of Banking kept open house today, as the Salt Lake convention of the institute in Salt Lake City next week. A special train has been engaged for the delegates coming by way of Chicago, and will leave here tomorrow morning for the Salt Lake City convention.

The body of Father Doyle will arrive in Jersey City over the Lake Shore Sunday afternoon, accompanied by Rev. Henry Cullen, Superior-General of the Paulist Fathers of California. A brother and sister of the late priest will arrive with Father Cullen.

The body will be on view in the center aisle of the church until 8 o'clock Sunday evening, when the chancel choir of the church and clergy will sing the office for the burial of the dead, and the rosary and benediction of the blessed sacrament will follow.

On Monday morning, at 10:30 o'clock, Cardinal Farley will attend solemn requiem mass. Father Cullen is expected to come from Southampton, L. I., to attend the ceremonies. The body will be interred in the vault which contains the remains of fourteen priests who founded the Paulist community in this city.

LIEUTENANT RODGERS TO COMMAND YANKTON

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Aug. 17.—Lieutenant Rodgers, of the navy, has been detached from the school of aviation at the naval academy and will assume command of the sunboat Yankton. It is understood that Lieutenant Rodgers gave up aviation on the plea of his wife's constant fear of her husband's life while he continued his hazardous experiments in aviation.

SEAMEN'S BILL DELAYED.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—The subcommittee of the Senate commerce committee, in charge of the coast seamen's bill, will not make a report to the full committee at this session of Congress. Announcement was made yesterday that hearings of the bill would be held during the last two weeks in November and that the subcommittee will make its report to the full committee immediately after the opening of the next session, in December.

CRITICAL TIME OF WOMAN'S LIFE
From 40 to 50 Years of Age. How It May Be Passed in Safety.

Odd, Va.—"I am enjoying better health than I have for 20 years, and I believe I can safely say now that I am a well woman. I was reared on a farm and had been doing hard work to do which caused the troubles that came on me later. For five years during the Change of Life I was not able to lift a pail of water. I had hemorrhages which would last for weeks and I was not able to sit up in bed. I suffered a great deal with my back and was so nervous I could scarcely sleep at night, and I did not do any housework for three years."

Now I can do all my own work, and any woman of my age in the country, thanks to the benefit I have received from Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I recommend your remedy to all suffering women. —Mrs. MARTHA L. HOLLOWAY, Odd, Va.

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idea of hiring servants, merely as such with our American principles. It is more than likely that if mother and the girl did most of their work, there would be fewer applications for divorce and fewer elopements. Any other episodes which stems like this, but which contain the essence of tragedy.

Still there is no heading off what may be called social evolution, for want of a better term, and perhaps we ought to admit that the servant is a necessary part of the modern household. That the machine is a human being, rather than a machine, and that the servant possesses all those attributes which Shetlock claimed on behalf of his race, perhaps we should not deny.

At least let us ask no woman to wear dresses for a dozen families until we are prepared to admit that it is the proper thing for a woman to wear.

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The Meddler

CALIFORNIA is following out the custom of England and the older cities of Europe in naming its charming homes. It makes a home specially distinctive when it has a name—sometimes the latter expresses a delightful sentiment as when a home is named "Friendship," and sometimes it offers a welcome hospitality through its name—and again the name is given for some characteristic of the landscape—or for trees, or garden flowers. It is a lovely custom and even the simplest home on the hill slopes should have its name, as is the way with the English homes. There is a sense of dignity, of permanency in a home that has a distinctive name, and Californians have many beautiful Spanish phrases from which to choose a name. Indian names are also lovely, though they are difficult to spell and pronounce.

Many names have a history which the family is glad to remember. Many years ago the Reques named their home "Highlands," and it has lived up to its name ever since. "Up-lands" is the name of the Templeton Crocker's home, and it is near "New Place," the home built since the earthquake of the William Crockers. Mrs. Miller Graham copied the name of her home "Belosguardo" from the romantic home of the Brownings in Florence.

"Oak Knoll" is the name of Henry E. Huntington's home in Southern California, and "Palm Knoll" on Vernon Heights is the well known home of Senator Perkins. The rose lends its name to well known places. "Rosemond" is the home of Frank M. Wilson of Berkeley, "Rosecrest" is the Henshaw home, and "Roselawn" was built long ago by the Alsworths and is now the home of the Charles Butters. "Pagoda Hill" is named for the quaint architecture of some of the buildings, and "Hillcrest" marks one of the landmarks of the lower foothills.

Ever since Hawthorne wrote his well known novel, "The House of the Seven Gables," there have been houses to follow in its footsteps. "The Gables" was the name of the Landers' home in San Leandro, and "Gray Gables" is the name of the home of the Wallace Alexanders. The Frank L. Browns have named their home at Ben Lomond "Brown Gables," and the color tone is carried out in the furnishings and in the stationery.

"Casa Rosa" is the rose house and is the home of the Roland Olivers, and the new home of the Velches near Cloverdale has long been known as "Casa del Buena Vista," the house of the beautiful view. And another house has a Celtic name—"Caed Mille Faltie"—the house of a thousand welcomes, and one of the most successful of the new books carries also that name.

A beautiful view lends itself in a charming way to a name—and so we have "Lake View," "Sea View," "Sobre Vista," the home of the Sprockels, "Alta Vista" now the Adams' home at Piedmont, and "Vista del Valle" (view of the valley), the Los Gatos home of the Oliver Orricks.

NAMES THAT ARE OF GREAT INTEREST

Mrs. Edward Lacey Brayton named her new home "Kenton Court" from the interesting patio in the center of the house, and the two halls "Koa Hall" and "Portola Hall" are of interest.

The Baileys, who came from Honolulu, employed much koa wood in the construction of their home on Jackson street and so it received its name "Koa Hall." The Schillings, who recently remodeled their beautiful home at Woodside, have named it "Portola Hall" and it is not far from "Fair Oaks," the home of the J. Athearn Folgers.

"Thorhill" is the beautiful home of the Soules at Linda Vista, and not far from it is "Malakin," which is an Hawaiian name, meaning "Shady Rest," and is the home of the Edward Walches. "Presdeau" is a French name, meaning near the water, and is the name of the home of the F. M. Smiths at Shelter Island. Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs' beautiful home at Mill Valley is called "The Archer," but her son, Dalton White, has named his home so happily. There can be but one "Garden of Allah," and that is the desert.

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MISS CARRIE MEIGHAN, WHO HAS BEEN VISITING AT THE DAYTON McLEOD'S SUMMER HOME.—Hartsook photo.

lovely and picturesque country place at St. Helena, which she has so aptly named "Villaremi."

"The Orchards" is the name of the country home of Mrs. Harry Meek, and in San Leandro is "Grassmere," which for years has been the home of the Huffs.

Mrs. Hush named her home "Etnemere," making up the name from the letters of the names of her children, and across from her home is "Level Lea," most appropriately named.

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on the McCloud river are places of historic interest. There is "The Bend," named for a great bend in the river, which is the country home of the Charles S. Wheelers. "Myntoon," the home of Mrs. Hearst, was named from a tribe of Indians who formerly lived on the McCloud river, and the name of the Thomas Williams place there is "Fortune Teller's Camp."

The Kittredges have named their place at Los Gatos "Tres Encinas," from three great oaks which guard the gateway, and one of the most delightful places in our neighborhood is "Alden Farm," where the Will Mayers have made their home for many months.

"El Portal," "The Open Door," "Hands Across," "Continent," are some of the names of our artists' homes or the surrounding foothills, and the attractive names bestowed upon them by their owners add to the charm of these delightful homes.

The William Magees came over from San Francisco immediately after the fire and took up their residence in Alden Farm. They found it so attractive and their children so loved life on the farm that they have lingered on, meantime making the

place most attractive. They have a lovely garden and a delightful swimming pool, and Alden Farm has always held out for friends a warm welcome.

The day was perfect for an outdoor fete, and Mrs. Magee and Mrs. Bentley planned it all so perfectly that their friends enjoyed one of the most delightful afternoons of the year. What made the occasion specially happy was the joy of the children who accompanied their mothers, and who were given the time of their lives by William Magee Jr. and by charming little Elizabeth Magee.

Among those who were invited to the garden fete were Mrs. Isaac Reques, Mrs. Mark Reques and her children, Mrs. Oscar Long and her daughters, Mrs. Edson Adams and her daughters, the Clays, the Wellmans, the Moores, Mrs. Wickham Havens, Mrs. Mollie Connors, Mrs. R. G. Brown, Mrs. Elsie, Mrs. Florence, Mrs. James Moffitt, Mrs. M. K. Kales,

the Robert Fitzgeralds, the Diekmanns, Mrs. Kate Dunn and her daughter, Mrs. Leon Bocqueraz, Mrs. Benjamin Ide Wheeler, Mrs. Charles S. Wheeler, Mrs. Bancroft, Mrs. Edson Adams—but one might go on with a long list, for the Hushes count among their warm friends many prominent people, and many of our younger matrons were at the garden party, which was planned along such successful lines.

HENSHAW'S COMING HOME ON WEDNESDAY.

The opening of the social season means that the vacation days for many people are definitely over, and on all sides prominent families are returning to town and opening their homes.

Mrs. William G. Henshaw will arrive next Wednesday, and will open Rosecrest. She will be accompanied by her daughter, Miss Henshaw, and by the Harry Chickering, who have been abroad with her. The opening of Rosecrest always means much to the friends of the Henshaws, for Mrs. Henshaw is a very charming hostess and generous in the extreme. The Henshaws have spent delightful months abroad, for Mrs. Henshaw knows how to travel, and to study so intelligently that she gets the most possible benefit from a tour abroad.

The R. G. Browns returned to town last week and opened their home on Jackson street. Mrs. Everts is again at her post at the head of the affairs of the Woman's Exchange, and she is so conscientious and so energetic that a prosperous season for the Woman's Exchange is assured. The

call "Tommie," was very ill early in the summer, but the fine air of the mountains has restored her strength, and every one is glad to hear that this charming young girl will be able once more to take her old place among her friends.

BRINCKERHOFF'S HOME AFTER VACATION.

Doctor and Mrs. Erwin Brinckerhoff and their daughter, Miss Ethel Brinckerhoff, have returned to their home on El Cerrito avenue, Piedmont, having been away the greater part of the summer. They were guests for some days of the Jacksons at Brookdale, and later they went to Independence Lake, where they spent delightful days.

Mrs. Brinckerhoff is a valued member of the directorate of the Home Club, and under her special direction the club is developing a charming library, one in which well-chosen books lure the club members to delightful afternoons in picturesque surroundings. The Hugh Hogans, who have been away most of the summer, are returning to town today, and will open their home on Lake street. They spent part of the summer in their country place at Sunol, and recently Mrs. Hogan and Master Howard Hogan have been at Santa Cruz.

The Oliver Orricks, with their bright young daughter, Elizabeth Orrick, are returning home, having spent the entire summer abroad.

Gardner Williams and his daughter, Miss Dorothy Williams, have left for the East, and after a short stay in



MISS ELIZABETH FINCH, A POPULAR OAKLAND GIRL, WHO IS ATTENDING MISS HEAD'S SCHOOL.—Hartsook photo.

Browns are so enthusiastic over Shasta Springs that they would like to return to the life there if the day's work did not keep them here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Smith and their little daughters, and Miss Sperry are at Shasta Springs, having gone there in their private car. They will not open their Shelter Island place this summer, preferring to spend the autumn in the mountains.

Mrs. J. Carroll Ewing and her two attractive young daughters, the Misses Lella and Grace Ewing, are also spending the summer in the mountains and are at Lady Gray Farm. Miss Grace Ewing, whom her friends

Washington they are going to London, where they will spend the late autumn.

The Louis Montagues will also be in London in the late autumn. They went recently to Norway, and while there they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Drummond McGavin, formerly of San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. George McNear have returned to town and are at their Piedmont home. Miss Ernestine McNear is still in Honolulu with her grandmother, Mrs. George McNear. They will sail for San Francisco about the first of September, as Miss McNear will be one of the bridesmaids

Society News of the Week

at the wedding of her cousin, Miss Marian Miller.

PICTURES IN THE MEDDLER.

Miss Elizabeth Finch, whose picture is in tonight's Meddler, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Finch of this city. She is attending Miss Head's private school, and has many friends here.

Miss Laura Van Buren is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Van Buren of Hanover street. She recently returned from a trip to Yosemite Valley.

Miss Carrie Melghan has returned from the Russian river, where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dalton McLeod, the latter of whom was Miss Lillian Eccleston. Miss Melghan spent the early summer at the Vendome in San Jose and at Tahoe.

Mrs. Ben Maddox is a young matron who has many friends in this city. She has been much entertained.

MISS HARRIET ALEXANDER IS CHARITY WORKER.

The many philanthropists are already beginning to plan "benefits" for the coming season, and the plans are almost wholly in the hands of women of the smart set. It is quite wonderful what the young girls are able to do.

Among the finest workers in New York is Miss Harriet Alexander, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Alexander (Hattie Crocker). She came to the coast to be bridesmaid at the wedding of her cousin, Mrs. Malcolm Whitman (Jennie Crocker). Miss Alexander plays golf exceedingly well, she drives a four-in-hand better than any girl in New York, and is a great favorite at the exclusive dances of the

others and each other, and the ranks each year are recruited from girls selected by election. The president of the league this year is Miss Harriet Alexander, daughter of Mrs. Charles B. Alexander. Among the members are Miss Catherine Tweed, Mrs. Francis Robbins, formerly Miss Frances Folsom Lamont; Mrs. Joseph Choate, Jr.; Miss Grace Henry, Miss Ruth Draper, and others of equal social importance. In the Junior League House they have established a boarding place for working girls, of which one of the chief attractions is a drawing-room where girls may receive their men friends.

"This is an absolute novelty among such institutions. The lot of the working girl in New York City is a hard one.

"The Junior League House partly solves this problem. It was first thought of and is now maintained by rich young women, who do not make of it a charity, but who give it time, intelligent attention, sympathetic interest. The working girls who are fortunate enough to live in Junior League House can receive their men friends precisely as the girls who are responsible for Junior League House receive their men friends—in a drawing-room, with full propriety and very pleasantly. The spirit of real hospitality is all-pervading there."

HERE ARE CERTAIN THINGS TO REMEMBER.

There are some things which definitely place a woman of the smart set—the bag she carries and the writing paper she uses. The latest cry in



MISS LAURA VAN BUREN OF THIS CITY, WHO HAS RETURNED FROM YOSEMITE VALLEY.—Hartsook photo.

This summer the bags of Irish lace have been rightfully popular for use with all thin attire and all white dresses, and the mode daily grows in favor; until now it is almost impossible to find the bags.

Many Eastern women are using what they call summer stationery:

"The prettiest writing paper for a summer note is the Japanese paper with the charmingly painted Japanese scenes at the top, done in black and white, or more accurately, in sepia; this costs 50 cents a box, and the box itself is quaint and pretty; it makes a good 'train gift,' which, outside of the inevitable book, is always so hard to think of, and it certainly most admirably replaces the postal card for the note of a mere line or two. It can also be had at the same price with highly tinted Japanese scenes as a heading, but this kind is not half as artistic as the other."

NEW STYLE SET IN BATHING COSTUMES.

At our bathers' resorts this year we have been copying largely from

Europe, where Persian effects have been the order of the hour. Bathing costumes at Trouville, Deauville and other fashionable places are outdoing in gorgeousness anything seen hitherto. The craze for Persian styles, which marked the past season in Paris, now finds expression on the beach.

The old-fashioned, but useful, bathing cap is now entirely superseded by a turban-like headgear, made of rich materials and gorgeous in coloring, and often finished off by a valuable aigrette fixed with a pearl clasp.

For the first time on record valuable old lace is being worn as trimming for elegant bathing costumes, which are generally worn by smart women who are far from being swimmers, and never enter the water deeper than their ankles.

MADE DUE TO BE WORN THIS SEASON.

In a letter from the East one reads: "If you are lucky enough to own any bits of real jade or if you are the possessor of even an excellent imitation, it is time to bring it forth,

It is shown in hatpins, bracelets, umbrella-handles, ornaments for the chatelaine, shirtwaist sets, slipper-buckles and side combs. Much of it should be used with discretion, as the green tone is trying to anyone with a tint of yellow in the skin."

California women ought to rejoice at that, for the Chinese bring to our coast some exceedingly rare specimens of jade, and some of it is quite within the means of the average woman.

BUCK PIEDMONT HOME IS ATTRACTIVE ONE.

One of the attractive new houses in Piedmont is that of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Jr., who have given up their former residence in San Francisco. They have been entertaining Mrs. Buck's father, C. B. Zabriskie of New York, who came to the coast to attend the Bohemian Club links.

MRS. HUNTINGTON'S VISIT OF INTEREST.

Mrs. Collis P. Huntington's visit to California is looked forward to with much anticipation by her friends on the coast. She has not been here since

the passing of her husband, C. P. Huntington, over ten years ago. On her arrival she will go down to San Mateo, where she will be the guest of the Remi Schwerlins. She is extremely fond of the young girl of the family who is her namesake, Arabella Huntington Schwerlin. The latter has beautiful jewels, the gift of this fairy godmother.

Among Mrs. Huntington's most intimate friends in California are Mrs. Isaac Requa, Mrs. A. N. Towne and Mrs. Clinton Worden. Mrs. Huntington is to be the guest of Henry E. Huntington in his home in Los Angeles. She is one of the most successful women in California, filled with gainsboroughs and other works of art. He has a most beautiful garden, also, and an interesting part of it is the Oriental corner, in which there are idols from the Buddhist temple of Mon-Ji. Mrs. Huntington has a superb home in Paris, the Elysée Palace, and she is planning to go abroad later in the autumn to join her daughter, the Princess Hatzfeldt.

CARDS ARE OUT FOR MANY AFFAIRS.

Cards are out for notable entertainments, among them Miss Elizabeth Latham's large "at home" in honor of brides and bridesmaids, Mrs. J. Walter

Scott's bridge afternoon, and the evening planned by the Bohemians, when women are to be their guests at the grove to witness the famous performance of "The Atonement of Pan."

Never before have women been invited to enter the sacred precincts of the grove, and the fact that the entire play will be given in this picturesque woodland theater is being hailed with great rejoicing. A special train will be run to the grove, and already parties are being made up for the great event. Oakland was well represented in the cast which gave so splendid a performance of "The Atonement of Pan." Harold Baxter sang extremely well; so did Harris Allen, and one of the successes of the evening was scored by Judge Henry A. Melvin, who was Silenus, and who made his appearance on a donkey, and singing at the top of his voice:

I once knew of a fool who went to school,

And he lived on moods and tenses;
His only drink was a bottle of ink,
And he very soon lost his senses.

The older we grow the less we know
Of life and all its uses.
It's only the drone who lives on a hone
And the flowing bowl refuses.

Among those who are invited from this side of the bay for the evening of the twenty-fifth are:

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Barton, Mr. and Mrs. Dunning, Mr. and Mrs. McNear, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Folger, Judge and Mrs. Melvin, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tanner, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. King, Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. William Pierce Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lacey Brayton, Mr. and Mrs. George McNear Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. William White, Mr. and Mrs. William Henshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Henshaw, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Bowles, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Knowles.

Dates for many "at homes" are to be sent out the last week in August, and already many prominent young matrons are announcing their day at home for the season. Among them is Mrs. Frank K. Mott, who is one of the charming hostesses and one of the most popular matrons on this side of the bay. She has made her home a delightful center for her friends, who enjoy therein a hospitality generous and very rare.

Mrs. Mott has chosen for her day at home the first Monday of each month, and no doubt these Mondays will mark some of the most popular "at homes" of the coming season.

Everything points to a bright and very successful season along many lines, for leading hostesses are planning to entertain extensively in the coming winter.

THE MEDDLER.

Society



MISS ALLEN CORWIN contributed to the festivities of the week by giving an afternoon in honor of Miss Allene Bartmes. The guests included a congenial group of girls who are members of a sewing circle that has met frequently for the last two years. As a surprise to the complimented guest, those present monogrammed for her an exquisite set of table linen. The hour with blimpie bags was followed by a daintily served repast. The personnel of the club includes Miss Bartmes, Miss Marguerite Shear, Miss Irene Collins, Miss Alma Valenith, Mrs. Searle Nevius, Miss Linda Stanton, Miss Josephine Adams, Miss Madeline Burch, Miss Helen Johnston, Miss Vida Derrich, Miss Esther Church and Miss Corwin.

Miss Katherine Todd is planning to entertain at an afternoon at cards in Miss Bartmes' honor. Miss Todd is preparing to leave soon for Stanford and the affair will be given in the near future. Several other gatherings will make the days prior to the Bartmes-Newsall week ones of continuous pleasure for the charming bride-elect.

SEPTEMBER PLANS.
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Neville and Jack Neville are planning to go to Del Monte next month to attend the golf tournament. Recently they were guests of the E. B. Stones at their summer camp on the Russian river.

SOUTHERN WEDDING.
A recent wedding of interest is that of J. L. Smith, son of Mrs. Agnes Waller Smith of this city, and Miss Varina Moss, a belle of Birmingham, Alabama. The ceremony took place at the bride's home yesterday and the couple will come to California for a honeymoon trip and will take apartments at the Charlevoix in San Francisco. The bride comes of one of the first families of the South, being related to the late Jefferson Davis, President of the Confederacy. She is said to be possessed of a charming personality, with the Southern gift for entertaining, and will be a decided acquisition to local society.

RETURN FROM OUTING.
Mr. and Mrs. Burr Eastwood have returned to town after spending the summer in the mountains near Los Gatos. Mrs. William Ede, who spent several delightful weeks at Tahoe, has returned to her home in Piedmont.

EASTERN TRIP.
Miss Helen Sheppard left a day or so ago for the East. She was accompanied

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MRS. BEN MADDOX, A YOUNG MATRON WHO HAS MANY FRIENDS HERE.

smart set. But she does far more than that. She gets over to the serious side of life and tries where she can to brighten the lives of other girls. This description of her fine work is arousing much interest all over the country.

"Women are doing splendid work. Not all the influences which 'seep downward from the upper to the lower strata' are to be decried. The Junior League House is an example of some of the work which now is being done by younger women.

"The Junior League originated with the debutantes themselves, of the season, I believe, of 1886. They wanted to be appropriate, but so often gives part of their time to helping

regard to the bag echoes from the East:

"If one carries a gold mesh bag, the correct change purse, unless it be of gold mesh also, is calfskin gilt; card cases for these bags are also of the gilt calfskin, and are very dainty and chic; they are not very expensive, and are excellent for use with white dresses, or with any elaborate costume, even if one does not carry the mesh bag. No woman can pay too much attention to the kind of bag she carries, or purse, for it quickly marks the well-dressed woman of the ill-dressed, this tiny item which should always harmonize and be appropriate, but so often clashes with the gown and occasion.

**NEW PRESIDENT IS
CHOSEN IN PERU**

LIMA, Peru, Aug. 17. — Guillermo Billinghurst, mayor of Lima, yesterday was elected president of Peru.

Robert W. Hunter, Lawrenceville,

SUPREME COURT TO PROBE POLICE GRAFT

U. S. PATROLS
THE MEXICAN
BORDER

Troops Held at El Paso Until
Arrival of Federals at
Juarez.

Rebels Raid Hacienda Belong-
ing to the American
Consul.

EL PASO, Aug. 17.—The three
troops of the Third cavalry arriving
here by special train from Fort Sam
Houston will not be sent to Columbus,
N. M., today. General E. Z. Steever,
commander at Fort Bliss, Texas, will
retain the reinforcements here to do
patrol duty on the arrival of Mexican
government troops at Juarez, Mexico,
opposite El Paso.

The evacuation of Juarez by rebels
has altered the plans of the depart-
ment. It was intended to reinforce
the danger points west of El Paso
along the New Mexico border.

Patrol of the border here is strict.
The American soldiers allowing no one
to pass to the Mexican side without
credentials from civil or military au-
thorities.

SAN LUIS POSTI, Mexico, Aug. 17.—
Rebels raided a hacienda yesterday
belonging to Frank A. Dickinson,
American consul here. His property
is near Abasco. Employees on the
property were beaten and the man-
ager fled to Irapuato.

PROVIDE \$25,000.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—To pro-
vide for the increasing number of
American refugees from Mexico the
House authorized today the use for
their subsistence of \$25,000 to be
taken from the \$100,000 fund already
provided for their transportation.
The Senate has approved.

MURDER TO BE PROBED.
MEXICO CITY, Aug. 17.—Ambassador
Wilson requested the foreign office
yesterday to institute an investigation
of the murder of Roman Ayers of Cin-
cinnati. Ayers, decapitated, was found near
Morelia, Michoacan. He had been cap-
ture by rebels.

SEEK ACCUSED MAN.
MEXICO CITY, Aug. 17.—Minister of
Foreign Affairs Lascarran, confirmed the
report that the Mexican government will
ask the extradition of David de la
Fuente, held in El Paso on a charge of
violating the neutrality laws. It is un-
derstood he will be charged with com-
plicity in the robbing of the national bank
in Chihuahua during the occupation of
that city by the rebels. The money taken
from the bank at that time was placed
in the rebel war fund.

BUILDERS INCORPORATE
IN ALAMEDA COMPANY
The Bay Cities Home Building
Company filed articles of incorporation
with the county clerk today
naming C. E. Herrick of Berkeley, O.
E. Jones of Oakland and E. F. Recker
of San Francisco as the board of di-
rectors. The company is capitalized
at \$500,000 and the articles set forth
that it will engage in selling property
and erecting dwellings. Its principal
place of business is in San Francisco.

Berkeley Singer
Rescues Woman
From DrowningCAROLUS LUNDINE
HAILED AS HERO

Drags Mrs. A. Kelsey From the
Russian River as She Is
Sinking Last Time.

BERKELEY, Aug. 18.—Carolus Lun-
dine, a well-known Berkeley vocalist and
teacher, has returned from Russian River
Highlands to receive the congratulations
of his friends for his daring rescue of
Mrs. A. Kelsey from drowning in that
stream. Mrs. Kelsey is also a resident
of this city.

During the outing Lundine had un-
dertaken to instruct a party of friends,
including Mrs. Kelsey, in the art of swim-
ming. His pupils were bathing in a
shallow pool near the edge of the river,
when Lundine left them for a few min-
utes to swim down the stream.
He had proceeded but a hundred yards
when he heard cries for help behind him.
Turning, he reached a spot near where
he had left his pupils in time to find Mrs.
Kelsey rising to the surface for the
third time. She had ventured beyond her
depth. Lundine caught hold of the
woman before she disappeared from
sight, and after much difficulty swam
with her ashore. She was resuscitated
after members of the party had worked
over her for some minutes.

WILL TOUR NORTHWEST.
Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Lyons of 828
Myrtle street left last evening for
Portland and Seattle, where they will
visit for two or three weeks, taking in
the points of interest in the north-
west. They were accompanied by their
daughter, Miss Constance Lyons.

BEAUTY FAILS
TO MOVE
COURT
YOUNG SOLDIER
OF FORTUNE
MISSING

Judge Shortall Refuses to Dis-
miss Case Against
Mrs. Brown.

"I Am an Old Man, Past 70,"
Says Napping, "But Don't
Feel It."

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—"I am
an old man past 70 but I don't feel
it," declared David Napping, a
wealthy Illinois farmer, who a year
ago succumbed to the smiles of Mrs.
Alicia Brown, a pretty model of Pan-
ama. Napping had affected a jaunty
pose for the purpose of having his
picture taken after he had lost out in
an effort to quash the charge which
he had brought against the woman,
whom, he claims, had promised to be
his wife.

It is rumored about the Hall of
Justice that the aged complainant in
the action against Mrs. Brown has
effected a reconciliation with her and
that was why he sent her flowers in
the prison last night and through his
attorney asked that the case be
dropped from the calendar this morn-
ing.

Attorney H. G. Kelly represented
Napping and when the matter was
reached on the docket requested a dis-
missal which, however, was refused
by Judge Shortall.

WITNESSES IN SOUTH.
"The majority of the witnesses in
this action are in Los Angeles and the
evidence which is at hand is not suf-
ficient to convict this defendant," de-
clared Kelly, who appears as special
prosecutor, "and I therefore ask your
honor to dismiss the proceedings."

"I will do no such thing," retorted
the court. "The defendant is charged
with a serious offense. The police
department has been used to bring
her here from Portland. A detective
was sent for her and I am going to
see who is responsible for it all. I am
not satisfied with the way this
case looks."

BECKEY'S PLEA FAILS.
"If your honor please," interposed
Assistant District Attorney Beckey, "I
have carefully gone over all of the
testimony and I find that even though
the Los Angeles witnesses were here,
there would be no case."

"I have every respect for your
judgment, Mr. Beckey," the court re-
plied, "and I reserve the right to pro-
ceed to your duty in all respects, but I
want a full investigation of this case
and I hereby order it brought to trial
on Wednesday morning next."

WOMAN DISAPPEARED.
Mrs. Brown, who had been listening
smilingly to the hearing with an evi-
dent sense of security, was taken
aback, and her counsel, Attorney
Vaughan, was visibly disconcerted by
the court's action. Vaughan request-
ed a reduction of bail, but Judge
Shortall would not consent, and Mrs.
Brown, tearful, went back to her
cell in the city prison.

Mrs. Brown is accused of obtain-
ing nearly \$4000 from Napping for the
purpose of purchasing a lodging
house in Berkeley. She had a defini-
te connection with the ringleaders en-
gaged in the wholesale smuggling of opium at this
port.

Special Agent Tidwell and Inspector
Shaw apprehended Pang in his store
with 35 lbs. of opium valued at close
to \$2000 in his possession. The drug, it
is said, was taken from the steamer
Manchuria. The vessel, according to the
officials, contains a great quantity of
opium concealed on board and from evi-
dence gathered at the time of the arrest
of Pang, it is believed that those be-
hind the plot to smuggle the drug at
this port will be caught. Pang was ar-
rested and continued for a week. He was
held over to answer before the Grand
Jury. The authorities admit having val-
uable information implicating other
persons, but are unwilling to make it
public until other arrests are made.

CLOSE ON TRAIL
OF OPIUM GANG

Arrest of Chinese Poolroom
Man With Drug Is
Important.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—With the
arrest today of F. S. Pang, alias Chan
Yat Tow, a poolroom man of 860 Clay
street, the custom house officials be-
lieve they have definitely broken
with the ringleaders engaged in the
wholesale smuggling of opium at this
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Auction Sale!

Underwriters' Grocery Auction
Sale

We have received instructions to sell
the extra fine stock of groceries and fix-
tures of W. Emmons' late business. Au-
gust 20, at 10:30, at 1007 Clay street, cor-
ner Tenth and Oakland. Open for inspec-
tion Monday afternoon. This elegant
stock and fixtures inventory over \$5500,
comprising the four imported brands of
canned goods, extra, imported oils, teas,
coffee, sugar, granules, glassware, soap,
cups, tobacco, etc., etc. Electric com-
plete plate glass display cases, and com-
plete show cases, etc., etc. All goods
All right and will be sold
A. A. MUNRO & CO., auctioneers.

COLUSA BELLE ENGAGED
TO WED DR. GEORGE HALL

MISS HAZEL WEBBER OF COLUSA, WHO
WILL WED DR. GEORGE HALL OF SAN
FRANCISCO.

BODIES ARE BURIED IN
EARTHQUAKE DEBRIS

Surviving Victims Stunned by Disaster in
Sea of Marmora Region

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 17.—An
appalling story of suffering and dam-
age caused by the recent earthquake
in the region about the Sea of Mar-
mora was told by the members of the
expedition dispatched on August 16 to
the stricken district on board the
United States gunboat Scorpion,
guard ship at Constantinople, which
returned here today.

The number of killed in the va-
rious towns and villages is placed at
3000 and injured 5000.
It was found impossible to ap-
proach several villages on account of
the debris arising from the bodies
buried among the ruins. Other vil-
lages were simply heaps of charred
debris.

The plight of the survivors has been
rendered worse because of the dif-
ficulty of obtaining building material.
Earthquakes continue almost daily
at many places along the coast. Six
shocks were felt yesterday and many
damaged houses collapsed.

At Myrionitis the appearance of
the town was deplorable because a
number of the houses standing on the
sea front, surrounded by gardens,
were intact, but immediately in the
rear scarcely a stick or stone was left
upright. Numerous figures were ob-
served in the ground, but none of
great size, although the villagers re-
ported that a cliff nearly 200 feet
deep had opened in a hill side eight
miles inland.

VICTIMS HELPLESS.
The people throughout the district
appeared stunned by the catastrophe
and made no attempt to help them-
selves, brooding over their misfortunes
and awaiting the arrival of relief.

The Red Cross Society and the
Greek philanthropic societies are do-
ing good work in the district.
The Turkish transport Bezzim-Y.
Alam has been converted into a hos-
pital ship and anchored off the coast.
The American medical mission, af-
ter treating 300 patients and finding
its work was overstepping that of other
missions, has been ordered to return
medical stores to the wall of Adrian-
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PABST
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K. Z. Kandler, Mgr.
Serving Unsurpassed
Culinary Entertainment
11th at Broadway.
Table d'Hote
Sundays
\$1.00

TENDERLOIN OF
NEW YORK IN
PANIC

Extraordinary Session of the
State's Highest Tribunal
Is Called.

Evidence Shows That Million
Dollars a Year Was Paid
by Disorderly Houses.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—A general
investigation in police graft in all its
phases is to be undertaken by the
extraordinary session of the supreme
court presided over by Justice Goff,
who has been designated by Governor
Dix to sit in the trials of Police Lieu-
tenant Becker and others charged
with the murder of the gambler, Her-
man Rosenthal.

News that the supreme court would
conduct a grand jury inquisition with
Justice Goff having full powers of
compelling testimony caused a panic
in the underworld today, and many
gamblers and others hurriedly left
the city. Under John Doe proceedings
Justice Goff can call gamblers and
keepers of disorderly houses and
force them to tell how much money
was paid for police protection and to
whom the money was paid.

Evidence is in the hands of Dis-
trict Attorney Whitman that disor-
derly houses in the city paid more
than \$1,000,000 for police protection
in the last year. The punishment in-
flicted upon Inspector Hayes by re-
siding him to the rank of captain
and then suspending him in
charge that he failed to keep his
district clean, is believed to be a fore-
runner of a general shake-up by Po-
lice Commissioner Waldo.

Stories of a fortune of fabulous size
left by Herman Rosenthal, the gambler,
are being circulated in Rensselaer
district from which Rosenthal came,
according to cable advices from Berlin.
One widely published story, it is said,
asserts that the murdered gambler left
a fortune of \$4,500,000. Other reports
place the amount at \$10,000,000.

Rockefeller's Estate
Guarded Over Night

Discharged Employees Threaten
Foreman and Attempt to
Burn Cottage.

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., Aug. 17.—
John D. Rockefeller's estate at Poc-
antico Hills was guarded last night
by a number of deputy sheriffs be-
cause of fear of violence on the part
of discharged employees. Several men
recently were let go by the foreman of
a large force of foreign laborers and
trouble ensued, culminating in an at-
tempt to burn the cottage of Foreman
Antonio di Marco. Rockefeller in-
formed Sheriff Boyle of the situation
and asked for aid.

EXCEPTIONAL PROGRAM
AT BROADWAY TODAY

Max Steinle and the Hyde Sisters ap-
pear this afternoon and evening for the
last time at the Broadway theater. The
balance of the bill has scored heavily
and has succeeded in pleasing the ma-
jority. The new show, to open for the
first three days of the week, starting to-
morrow, looks, from advance billing, to
be one of the best. It includes a new il-
lustrated singer; a baritone soloist, who
has some selected illustrated slides and
good songs; also Lew Peltel and Cush-
lon, who, in the minstrel world, were
among the top-notchers.

PUBLISHING COMPANY
INCORPORATES HERE

Articles of incorporation of the Pa-
cific Times Publishing Company were
filed today with the county clerk. The
subscribers are Nathan S. Russell, J.
J. Adams and T. A. Smith, all of Oak-
land. The company is capitalized at
\$10,000.

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MORE than a million
Studebaker Wagons and
Buggies are in use in the
United States and more than
fifty thousand in the State of
California.
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wagon from the manufacturer
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where.
Special reduced prices now on
a lot of vehicles of all kinds.
Also on a hundred odd sample
Automobile and Carriage Bodies.
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GUMP'S
August Sale

Openstock Dinnerware—English, French, Austrian, Ger-
man and American makes at 10% to 25% off.

Choice of 72 carefully selected patterns. A single plate or
an entire dinner set may be had. Openstock Dinnerware is
the only practical way to buy china, as broken pieces may be
replaced at any time.

Openstock Glassware—Rock Crystal, Acid Gold, Cut Glass,
Etched or plain patterns at 10% reduction.

We carry some most attractive inexpensive designs, and
the same care is used in their selection as the more elaborate
patterns.

Odd Dozens of Plates—We have made some remarkable
reductions in these, as the following prices will indicate:

\$125.00 to \$50.00	\$60.00 to \$30.00
\$48.00 to \$22.50	\$34.00 to \$17.00
\$15.00 to \$8.00	\$12.00 to \$6.50

Casseroles, Chafing Dishes, Bottle Stands, Carving Sets
and various similar articles at one-fifth off regular price.
Cut Glass is marked at 10% discount.

An inspection of our stock is convincing both as to value
and merit.

Bohemian Glass is reduced 25%.

Desk and Smoking Sets, Bronzes, Marbles, Gift Baskets,
Clocks and Lamps at 20% off.

—ALSO—
Several tables of miscellaneous articles at one-third to
one-half off.

Discounts apply in all departments.
Free delivery within 100 miles.
Positively no exchange on goods purchased during this sale.
Mail orders given prompt and careful attention.

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Between Stockton and Grant Avenue
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GOSSIP OF STUDENTS AND RESIDENTS IN UNIVERSITY TOWN

AND

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL HAPPENINGS OF DAY IN THE ISLAND CITY

ALAMEDA

HISTORIC WIGWAM TO BE DESTROYED

Famous Pavillion in Alameda Where Boxers Starred Is Doomed.

ALAMEDA, Aug. 17.—The old wigwam in the Neptune gardens, a notable structure in the history of Alameda, will soon pass into the realm of things that are not. For more than a third of a century the historic building has been conspicuous in the social, athletic, political, fraternal and civic life of this city. On September 6 the Alameda Athletic Association will hold a boxing exhibition in the structure, which has sheltered the greatest lights of the ring in training days, and after that will come its destruction. The Alameda Athletic Association, represented by J. M. Mellish, will probably make application to the City Council to permit the boxing exhibition. The association plans to put on a program of five four round bouts. If arrangements can be made Bert Seal, the phenomenal local White Hope, who promises to come to the athletic arena, will appear against another heavyweight. The wigwam was originally a part of the famous Neptune gardens, a swimming and pleasure resort, that made Alameda famous thirty years ago. With the passing of the gardens and aquatic attractions the structure came into use as a headquarters for the city's athletes. It was the scene of many a boxing match while working themselves into condition. Among the numerous champions of the ring who worked in the old wigwam may be mentioned Jack Dempsey, regarded as the greatest of the modern era. He fought a pair of boxing gloves: Robert Fitzsimmons, the conqueror of Dempsey and later the champion of the world; James J. Corbett, subduer of the great John L. Sullivan, and one time champion of the world; Peter Jackson, the great heavyweight from Australia; James J. Jeffries, who fell before Little Arthur John Johnson; Harry McGovern, one time champion featherweight; Joe Gans, ebony haired lightweight champion, and considered by good judges of pugilists to have been the cleverest of the modern era. The wigwam was the scene of many a boxing match while working themselves into condition. Among the numerous champions of the ring who worked in the old wigwam may be mentioned Jack Dempsey, regarded as the greatest of the modern era. He fought a pair of boxing gloves: Robert Fitzsimmons, the conqueror of Dempsey and later the champion of the world; James J. Corbett, subduer of the great John L. Sullivan, and one time champion of the world; Peter Jackson, the great heavyweight from Australia; James J. Jeffries, who fell before Little Arthur John Johnson; Harry McGovern, one time champion featherweight; Joe Gans, ebony haired lightweight champion, and considered by good judges of pugilists to have been the cleverest of the modern era. The wigwam was the scene of many a boxing match while working themselves into condition. Among the numerous champions of the ring who worked in the old wigwam may be mentioned Jack Dempsey, regarded as the greatest of the modern era. He fought a pair of boxing gloves: Robert Fitzsimmons, the conqueror of Dempsey and later the champion of the world; James J. Corbett, subduer of the great John L. Sullivan, and one time champion of the world; Peter Jackson, the great heavyweight from Australia; James J. Jeffries, who fell before Little Arthur John Johnson; Harry McGovern, one time champion featherweight; Joe Gans, ebony haired lightweight champion, and considered by good judges of pugilists to have been the cleverest of the modern era.

NOTED MEN TO ADDRESS LEAGUE

University Student Organization Announces Program for Semester.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Aug. 17.—The League of the Republic, an organization of students in the department of political science, has announced its special lecture "Races for the future." A number of well known men of the bay cities have volunteered to address the league. W. W. Beatty is chairman of the committee in charge of the program, which are as follows: August 27—Christopher Ruess, probation officer of Oakland, on the subject "The Probation System and the Oakland Detention House." September 17—James E. Rogers, secretary of the American Playground Association, on "The National Playground Movement." October 8—J. C. Astrado, probation officer of San Francisco, on "The San Francisco Juvenile Court." October 16—Robert J. Martin, C. Meyer of San Francisco on "The Social Evil in Our Cities." November 19—Clayton Herrington, federal prosecutor in San Francisco, on "The Federal Government and the White Slave Traffic." Several other men who will be heard this fall but for whom no definite date has been assigned, are Harry Weinstock, president of the Westwood Nichols Club, on "Free Speech and the I. W. W.," and Percy Long, city attorney of San Francisco, on "The California Tenement House Law." A series of three lectures on Socialism will be given under the general heading "The Analysis of Socialism—the Case For and Against." Mr. McDevitt, candidate for mayor of San Francisco on the Socialist ticket at the recent election, and Professor J. Cross of the Economics department at Stanford, will be included in this series. Other subjects which have been announced are "Conservation of Life in Our Cities," and "Reformation of Punishment in Treatment of Our Criminals," from Australia; James J. Jeffries, who fell before Little Arthur John Johnson; Harry McGovern, one time champion featherweight; Joe Gans, ebony haired lightweight champion, and considered by good judges of pugilists to have been the cleverest of the modern era. The wigwam was the scene of many a boxing match while working themselves into condition. Among the numerous champions of the ring who worked in the old wigwam may be mentioned Jack Dempsey, regarded as the greatest of the modern era. He fought a pair of boxing gloves: Robert Fitzsimmons, the conqueror of Dempsey and later the champion of the world; James J. Corbett, subduer of the great John L. Sullivan, and one time champion of the world; Peter Jackson, the great heavyweight from Australia; James J. Jeffries, who fell before Little Arthur John Johnson; Harry McGovern, one time champion featherweight; Joe Gans, ebony haired lightweight champion, and considered by good judges of pugilists to have been the cleverest of the modern era.

ALAMEDA PERSONALS

ALAMEDA, Aug. 17.—Mrs. James Dunn gave a sewing bee at her home on Central avenue yesterday afternoon in compliment to Miss Laura Sargent, a popular bride-elect. Miss Sargent is the daughter of Charles L. Acker of New York. She has picked August 27 for her wedding day. The guests yesterday were Miss Sargent, Miss Harriet Sargent, Miss Carrie Miller, Miss Daisy Miller, Miss Edith Foster, Miss Thomas Miller, Mrs. Duddley Sales, Mrs. Bayard Nourse, Mrs. A. V. Clark, Mrs. Marian Vackie of San Francisco and Mrs. Fritz Van Sicken. Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Clark gave a wedding anniversary dinner last night to eight friends. The dining room was in pink and white and the parlors in red. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Burger, Mrs. B. Y. Garretta and Miss Belle Garretta are at Pacific Grove for a two weeks' stay. Mrs. Donna Buehle and sons leave Monday for Agate, California for an outing. Miss Marian Lane, clerk of the board of education, is spending the week-end at one of the Santa Cruz mountain resorts. Mrs. Wm. J. Murray and son, Harold, have returned from a five weeks' visit at Bureka. Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Mott have returned from outing stays at several springs and resorts. They came to Alameda from Spring Lake, California. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blake and daughter, Dorothy, are home after a visit at the Lake Tahoe resorts. Mrs. George G. Byrne and children of Santa Cruz are visiting Mrs. Byrne's parents, Captain and Mrs. M. Graves, at the Graves' home on Central avenue. Miss Cora Nathan, who was a patient at a local sanatorium for treatment for a bite from a pet cat, has recovered completely and again at home. Mrs. John Ralph Wilson and daughter, who spent the summer at Brookdale, have returned to Alameda. Mrs. Wilson's sister, Mrs. John Geisendorff, and her two children are in Alameda from New England Mills, Placer county, for a visit with Mrs. Geisendorff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Mason.

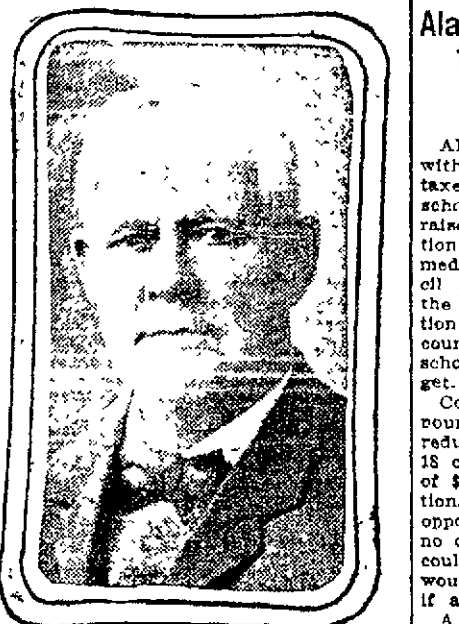
INJURED MOTORBIKE RIDER IMPROVING

ALAMEDA, Aug. 17.—Louis Ray, the Alameda motorbike rider who was seriously injured through being thrown from his motorbike while turning from the boulevard into High street last Thursday morning, is feeling much better today, at his home, 1200 Santa Clara avenue, and is expected to recover. Ray made the turn at full speed and was thrown over the handle bars of his machine, striking the curb with his head. After being taken to the Receiving Hospital in Oakland he was brought to his home yesterday and today shows considerable improvement in his condition.

FRESHMAN CLASS IS BIGGER THAN BEFORE

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Aug. 17.—The class of first day's registration of students showed 735 students, and above 100 more were expected to sign their names to the registration in the next few days. The registration is 144 in excess of that of last year, when but 691 had registered.

WALTER B. HARRUB, PIONEER OF STATE AND CITY, DIES



THE LATE WALTER B. HARRUB

Walter Balfour Harrub, who came to California in 1849 and was among the first residents of the state, died yesterday at the Madison Apartments after an illness dating from last December. Death was due to an abscess of the throat. Harrub came to California when he was 19 years old and settled in San Francisco. As a young man he engaged in mining. In later years he was associated with the Eureka Consolidated Mining Company and the Ruby Hill Water Company, which supplied water to a number of towns near Eureka. Harrub came to Oakland thirty years ago, and for a long time lived in Fruitvale. When he became ill he moved to the Madison Apartments. Decedent is survived by a widow, Katherine J. Harrub, and two daughters, Mrs. Walter A. Kenney and Mrs. W. Ed. Griffith, both of Oakland. He was born in Plymouth, Mass., 32 years ago. Harrub was a well known member of the Athenian Club. The funeral will be held from the home of Mrs. Griffith, 48 Montecito avenue, Monday morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. Alexander Allen, pastor of St. Paul's Episcopal church, will officiate. Interment will be in Mount View Cemetery. The Pioneers of California will attend.

PSUEDO DETECTIVE IS HELD TO ANSWER

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 18.—R. J. Nelson, arrested for impersonating a secret service agent and who failed to pay for a house leased from F. S. Wilson at 1244 Eighty-eighth avenue, Elmhurst, was held to answer before the federal grand jury by United States Commissioner Nelson today. It was while calling himself a detective that Nelson obtained the rental of the premises. He is an auto mechanic, but told his friends that he was a secret service operative and frequent calls for him by telephone from the local bureau resulted in his apprehension by Secret Service Agent Moffitt. He was released today on his own recognizance. For the offense of which he is accused the minimum penalty is a fine of \$50 and the maximum 5 years in the penitentiary.

BERKELEY SOCIETY

BERKELEY, Aug. 17.—The wedding of Miss Fanny Thompson and Wedo W. Brinkman, both of Berkeley, took place on Russell street, on September 10. Miss Thompson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thompson, who was socially prominent in Southern California before coming to this city. About 100 guests have been asked to the wedding, immediately following the ceremony the couple will leave for Europe. Upon their return they will live in Claremont. Miss Helen Barthness, who a few weeks ago announced her engagement to Robert Wm. Newell, will be the guest of honor at two luncheon parties. Miss Belinda Stanton will be the hostess, and Wednesday Miss Agnes Wells will entertain at the Nichol home in East Oakland. Both Miss Barthness and Miss Newell are well known among the college set. Mrs. Henry Smith gave a social whist at her home, 2124 Carlton street, on Tuesday. Among those present were Mrs. A. Lindsey, Mrs. M. G. Mann, Mrs. J. P. Campbell, Mrs. James Stephens, Mrs. Jack Parkinson, Mrs. Albert Wagner, Mrs. A. L. Howell, Miss E. Macabe, Mrs. Will Ramus and others. Mrs. C. Francis Drape of Hamilton Canada is visiting her cousin Miss Elizabeth Macabe at 3051 Shattuck avenue, Berkeley. Mrs. W. W. Henry will leave on Monday for New York, where she will remain until August 25, when she will sail for Oakland. Both Miss Barthness and Miss Newell are well known among the college set. Mrs. Henry Smith gave a social whist at her home, 2124 Carlton street, on Tuesday. Among those present were Mrs. A. Lindsey, Mrs. M. G. Mann, Mrs. J. P. Campbell, Mrs. James Stephens, Mrs. Jack Parkinson, Mrs. Albert Wagner, Mrs. A. L. Howell, Miss E. Macabe, Mrs. Will Ramus and others. Mrs. C. Francis Drape of Hamilton Canada is visiting her cousin Miss Elizabeth Macabe at 3051 Shattuck avenue, Berkeley. Mrs. W. W. Henry will leave on Monday for New York, where she will remain until August 25, when she will sail for Oakland. Both Miss Barthness and Miss Newell are well known among the college set.

May fever and asthma make August a month of intense suffering to many people. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound relieves and cures everything and healing to the individual sufferer. Wm. M. Meredith, N. Searport, Mr. says: "A few doses of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound relieved me of a severe attack of asthma and less than a bottle caused a complete cure." Refuse substitutes. Wiehart's Drug Store.

Man With Twenty Sons in Army Is Saved From Jail

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Because he testified that he had twenty sons all serving in the Austrian army, Stephen Hyman was saved from a long sentence yesterday. Hyman was arraigned before Municipal Judge Seaborn on a charge of beating Peter and Tony Browner, brothers of the hood with a club. He is 26 years old and has been married three times.

SCHOOL TAX TO BE RAISED BY COUNTY

Alameda Will Turn Burden Over to County and Save Raising \$20,000.

ALAMEDA, Aug. 17.—Falling in line with the other east bay cities, the school taxes for the support of the elementary schools of this city will hereafter be raised by the county treasurer. This action of the board of education of Alameda was made known to the city council at a meeting of the committee of the whole last night. The communication from the school board requested the council to drop \$20,000 asked for in the school department estimate from the budget.

Council President E. B. Bullock announced that the change would mean a reduction of city taxes to the extent of 18 cents and would result in a tax rate of \$1.09 on each \$100 of assessed valuation. He said, however, that he was opposed to the plan as there would be no curb on the amount the school board could now demand, and he thought it would work for higher actual taxes even if assessed on the county roll.

A Savary commission of the council from the electric light board stated that the board had decided not to move the municipal electric light and power plant from the Park street site to the Grand street site. An ordinance intended to provide for the moving of all the equipment was not voted upon and will come up again at the regular meeting Tuesday night.

The Crowley Launch and Towboat company had a representative present with a proposal to lease from the city the waterfront lot adjoining the plant of the Southern Pacific company for a period of ten years. The Crowley company proposed to pay \$50 a month for the first five years and then \$80 a month for the remainder of the lease. It is not probable that the proposition will be accepted. The matter was referred to the harbor commission.

H. L. Delaney appeared before the council with a proposition to alter the burners in the city hall heating system so as to adapt them to the use of crude oil. The Southern Pacific company expressed its willingness to provide gasmen at the crossings of Santa Clara avenue and Eighth street and Lincoln avenue and Webster street and to all the roadbed in Eighth street to the satisfaction of the city council and under the direction of the city superintendent of the streets. The electricity commission was authorized to purchase a 50-foot lot adjoining the present site of the municipal plant. The price to be paid is \$1800 and the lot will be used for an extension of the works.

SUICIDE IS END OF STORMY LIFE

Heartbroken Father Tells the Story of Joseph T. Miles Career.

Arrangements are being made today by Joseph H. Miles, a wealthy resident of Los Angeles, to take home the body of his son, Joseph T. Miles, who ended a reckless career by shooting himself through the head in his room in the Hotel St. Mark yesterday morning. The aged father, broken by grief over the death of his son, who formed an intimate friendship with his father, and getting conclusion to a life which had brought nothing but trouble to his parents, told of his unceasing efforts to reclaim his son, and of the failure of his hopes. The body of young Miles will be shipped to Los Angeles tonight. The inquest will be held at the morgue early Wednesday. While in Oakland, the relatives of the deceased will gather his few belongings and will terminate the business affairs of the young man. Although only 24 years of age, Miles gave the impression of being ten years older. He had a fine physique and was a well known figure in the city. Miles shot himself with a .45-caliber derringer in his room, leaving a note asking that his father be notified at the family mansion at 43 Westmoreland avenue, Los Angeles. The word of the death of young Miles came as a sudden tragedy to his father and mother and two sisters in Los Angeles. The mother is prostrated with grief over the death of her son, and is under the care of her two daughters. CAREER IS STORMY. Joseph H. Miles recounted the story of his son's brief career from the time of his being sent to an eastern university to his death in Oakland. The young man became involved in difficulties in the east, and more than once the father had to cross the continent to go to his assistance. Upon returning to Los Angeles, the young man got into more trouble and was in danger of losing his fortune. In several instances he became entangled in affairs with women. His woman companion in Oakland and San Francisco, the father believes, was Grace Tarrant, ten years his senior, and former wife of a politician of St. Joseph, Mo. Miles said his son left home July 24, saying he had a place in Chicago as a traveling salesman. His father gave him a considerable sum of money at that time. A week later he learned that his son was at the Palace hotel with a woman. The father could not find his son. The father had not heard of him until yesterday.

STUDENT BODY IN FIELD FOR NEW MEMBERS

MISS MABEL JONES.



MISS HERTHA TODD.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Aug. 17.—The annual campaign for new members for the Associated Students and Associated Women Students of the university has been commenced by both organizations with the opening of the fall semester. Committees have been appointed by each association particularly for work among the incoming freshmen. The affairs of the student body and the women's activities are in the control of the following: Misses Alice Armstrong, Hertha Todd, Lucile Batdorf, Winifred Bridge, Lurline Browning, Mildred Clemens, Florence Copeland, Helen Cummins, Elizabeth Hansen, Jessie Harris, Charlotte Hurd, Eleanor Jackson, Mabel Jones, Irma Korte, Genevieve McGinnis, Valeria Mixer, Velma Mattison, Alice Parker, Clara Shaw, Anne Spring, Alta Struckmeyer, Marjorie Sutherland, Hertha Todd, Alice Young, Lois Young, Helen Young, Vesta White, Hertha Hermann, chairman.

A. S. U. C. COMMITTEES.

Of the A. S. U. C. committees C. M. Torrey is general chairman and will be assisted by the following: L. L. Leitch, sub-chairman; C. C. Leitch, H. A. Fletcher, L. W. Allen, M. A. Cartwright, G. A. Work, B. W. Hays, J. G. Swett, B. A. Glendenin, B. W. Taylor, G. A. Kring, E. H. Jones, E. H. Hill, R. L. Guy, F. H. Booth, J. C. Altman, E. F. Solomon, M. W. Sahiberg, G. B. Moody, M. L. Brenner, J. T. Fisher, O. R. Goss, W. R. Greig, H. L. Howard, W. F. Stephenson, H. H. Wood, K. Q. Yolk, E. F. Taylor, E. Gardner, Jr., S. F. Bryan, J. E. Harvey, J. R. Douglas, J. J. Miller, C. K. White, V. F. Collins, A. P. Cortelou, T. B. Dunn, G. W. Snook, A. V. Turner, H. G. Gogswold, E. H. O'Brien, A. S. Siler, W. J. Leitch, C. Craig, D. C. Bennett, E. F. Moulton, E. H. Clausen, W. N. King, F. H. Allen, S. L. Arnot, F. G. Linde, F. V. Mayo, O. W. Young, C. W. Humphreys, H. A. Tuckey, E. L. Keelson and J. Lovett. Executive Committee: L. L. Leitch, L. K. Newfield, K. L. Blanchard, C. V. Goodwin, F. J. Cunningham, A. W. Drury, R. C. Forrester, A. R. Pohl, W. G. Marvin, D. G. Macchia, W. C. Tupper, G. H. Swett, E. H. O'Brien, E. F. Stephenson, W. J. Leitch, T. G. Hutton, H. P. Neustrieb, E. C. Lipman, C. C. Brown, M. P. Griffiths, A. C. Cook, J. S. Conklin, Karl Shattuck, A. C. Felt, R. G. Wageman, M. S. Blois. D. R. Kilgus, sub-chairman; F. G. Keelson, E. H. O'Brien, E. F. Stephenson, P. Brendel, E. G. Steward, C. J. Wetzel, E. L. Stanton, C. E. Driver, W. N. Moore, V. H. Doyle, Kenneth Forbes, K. C. Ables, D. J. Bogardus, E. F. Wiley, L. A. Daugherty, C. M. Mitchell, H. H. Allen, P. Conklin, C. W. MacCleskey, E. M. Monroe, S. W. Templeton, Grover Van Deventer, Tom Sweet. C. E. Street, sub-chairman; M. Hazeltine, Byron Jackson, Pierce Cromwell.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS LODGE FOR ALAMEDA

ALAMEDA, Aug. 17.—This city is to have a council of the Knights of Columbus. The new lodge is to be instituted here on Sunday, September 15. The organizers report that nearly 100 applicants for membership are on the charter roll. The council will come into being under the supervision of Vincent A. Dodd of this city, a district deputy in the order, and a past grand knight of Oakland council No. 724. Three degrees will be conferred. The first will be administered by Berkeley council, the second by Oakland council and the third by State Deputy Neal Power of San Francisco and a selected team.

ALAMEDA'S LOST WHEEL

ALAMEDA, Aug. 17.—Browning, a Webster street grocer, is minus a bicycle he left in front of his residence at 721 Lincoln avenue yesterday. Browning left the wheel in front of the house for the afternoon. The council will come into being under the supervision of Vincent A. Dodd of this city, a district deputy in the order, and a past grand knight of Oakland council No. 724. Three degrees will be conferred. The first will be administered by Berkeley council, the second by Oakland council and the third by State Deputy Neal Power of San Francisco and a selected team.

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PAULIST IS TO DELIVER SERMON

Rev. James M. Gillis Is to Be Speaker at Newman Club.

BERKELEY, August 17.—Rev. James M. Gillis, Paulist father of New York City, whose missionary sermons have been heard by many auditors in the bay cities during the past half year, is to deliver the sermon at the late mass at Newman Hall tomorrow. The mass will be said at 10:30 a. m. Newman Hall is at 2636 Ridge road and is the headquarters of the Newman club, an organization of Catholic students of the University of California. Father Gillis will speak on "Love the Characteristic Note of Christianity." A feature of the musical program for this mass will be the singing of "Ave Maria" by Miss Anita Post. The Newman club choir will render Rosemary's mass in F. Rev. Thomas Dantry O'Neill, O. S. F., chaplain of the Newman club will be the celebrant of the early mass at 7:30. Throughout the college year benediction of the blessed sacrament will be given in the chapel of Newman Hall each Sunday afternoon at 6 o'clock. The musical program arranged for next Sunday will be as follows: "Ave Verum" (Rosemary), duet by Ralph MacFadyen and Mr. Walton C. Webb. "Tantum Ergo" (Gregorian), Newman club choir; "Invocation" (Jules Jordan), bass solo; Mr. Walton C. Webb. A cordial invitation is extended to the university public to attend all religious services in Newman Hall.

DECOTO DRAMATIC CLUB WILL SHINE

Tonight's Entertainment Will Be Followed by Dance.

DECOTO, Aug. 17.—The Decoto Dramatic club will hold an entertainment, to be followed by a dance, in Sylva's hall, tonight. Preparations for the entertainment have been going on for the past few weeks, and the members of the organization are enthusiastic over the prospects for a large crowd. A feature of the program will be a two-act farce, entitled "Too Much Married." The parts in the sketch are all handled by local amateur thespians, who have been practicing faithfully during the past weeks. In addition to the playlet, a number of vaudeville stunts will be put on. A large attendance is expected, as practically all of the seats in the hall have been reserved. The entertainment tonight will be followed in several months by the idea of the local dramatists to make the affair a monthly occurrence.

FEATURE PICTURES ON BILL AT CAMERA

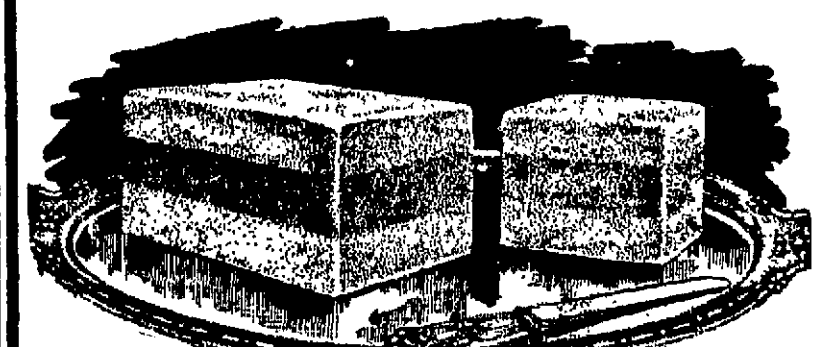
Two separate big feature pictures are part of today's program at Oakland's popular playhouse, the Camera. "The Garrison Triangle," a Bison 10 feature, is a thrilling portrayal of life in western frontier days. "The Animated Weekly" (the motion picture newspaper) has as its most important scenes Katherine Stetson in her aeroplane; King and Queen of England at Henley Regatta; return of Olympic athletes; U. C. "400" go bathing, etc. Several other excellent reels of photographs complete today's program. For tomorrow, Manager Smith announces a Rex playhouse presentation Miss Marion Leonard, a world-famous actress.

SCHOOL OF ARTS AND CRAFTS REOPENS

BERKELEY, Aug. 17.—The California School of Arts and Crafts, located at 2119 Alton way, Berkeley, has opened for the fall term. This school is for the instruction of designers, craft workers, illustrators and students of the fine arts. Frederick T. Meyer is director. The names of the instructors follow: Perham W. Nash, Xavier Martinez, Elizabeth Ferrer, Wendell W. Felt, Mary L. Allis, Ethel Fulton Anderson, James Martin Griffin, Robert G. Officer, Mrs. O. L. Elliott, Harry St. John Dixon and Worth Ryder.

MARY ROBERTS COOLIDGE WRITES ABOUT WOMEN

BERKELEY, Aug. 17.—"Why Women Are So" is the interesting title of a new book from the pen of Mary Roberts Coolidge, the well known local author, which is to be published in the East early in October. Mrs. Coolidge, resides at the head of Dwight Way. In the new work Mrs. Coolidge shows the development from the eighteenth century woman to the woman of today and attempts to answer the question of whether the characteristic behavior known as femininity, as distinguished from manly, is an inalienable quality or merely an attitude of mind produced by the traditions of society. Mrs. Coolidge has gained a notable reputation already by her two previous books, "Alms House Women" and "Chinese Immigration."



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OFFICIAL RECORDS

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City Has Outgrown Its Constitution and Will Hold Election.

RICHMOND, Aug. 17.—The members of the city council are giving serious consideration to a proposed amendment to the city charter and if it is found that the council is in favor of it, the council will move immediate steps will be taken looking to a special election.

The Richmond city charter has been in effect for three years and during that time defects have been discovered.

One of the defects of the present charter the tax rate for the general fund from which the various departments of the municipality derive their support, is limited to 30 cents on the \$100 assessed value of property.

It is felt that this rate is inadequate. There are also numerous other details of the municipal government not covered at all in the charter, which in the opinion of the council should be improved. With the past experience to go upon, it is thought that the charter can so be changed that it could be made one of the most effective documents of its character in existence.

The union labor bodies are already agitating the members of the council with regards to the employment of labor on public work, and many others are also in favor of the movement, so that the steps the council now has under consideration

ation it is believed, will meet with general favor. Mayor J. C. Owens strongly advocates it.

EMIGRANT BRIDE IS CLAD IN HOOP SKIRT

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Unless Juliana Horwath of Lancaster, Pa., decides to make a few purchases of women's apparel in this city before she goes back with her newly arrived young wife, the town of Lancaster will receive a woman wearing hoop skirts. Mrs. Horwath arrived here yesterday from Flume on the Cunard liner Saxonia, and during her daily walk on deck attracted unusual attention.

The skirt which hung about ten inches below her knees, was about four feet in diameter at the bottom

She wore a mantilla and had an embroidered bodice of purple velvet over a loosely fitting white waist.

island to claim her, but it is feared he will not be able to sit in the same seat with her on the train if she fails to doff the hoop skirts.

Shipping News and Marine Intelligences

SUN, MOON AND TIDES

United States Coast and Geodetic Survey—Table showing times and heights of high and low tides.

Saturday, August 17.

Moon sets 9:42 P. M.
 Moon's first quarter August 20, at 9:46 A. M.
 Full moon August 22, at 11:50 A. M.
 August 17 to 23.

Date.	Time.E.	Time.P.	Time.E.	Time.P.	
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17	2:35	4.8	8:25	1.4	3.00
18	3:03	4.1	8:50	2.1	3.48
19	3:29	3.5	9:02	2.8	4.23
20	3:54	3.3	9:14	3.4	5.14
21	4:17	3.0	9:24	4.2	6.29
22	4:37	2.6	9:35	5.1	7.61
23	4:55	2.2	9:45	6.2	9.08

STEAMERS
 Steammers due to arrive and depart today and for the next few days are as follows:

Steamers.	From	To
Santa Clara—Los Angeles, Long Beach		
and way ports		Aug.
Governor—Seattle direct	(Aug. 16).	Aug.
Rev. J. M. Hancock, Shelter Cove, Pt.		
Arenas		Aug.
Chiye Maru—Hongkong and Yokohama		
(Aug. 8), via Honolulu		Aug.
Hankel—Los Angeles		Aug.
City of Los Angeles—San Diego		Aug.
City of Topeka—Eureka, Field, Astoria		
and Arcata		Aug.
Coco Bay—Port San Luis and way ports.		
Wilhelmina—Honolulu		Aug.
Centralia—Grays Harbor		Aug.
W. F. A. Kildner—Seattle and Tacoma		Aug.
F. A. Kildner—Eureka, Arcata, etc.		Aug.

Arctic—Fort Bragg	Aug.
Harvard—Los Angeles direct	Aug.
DEPART.	
Steamers.	For

Bear-Astoria and Portland	Aug.
F. A. Kilburn-Eureka, Fields Landing and	Aug.
Lyra-New York and Europe, via Te-	Aug.
Manitague	
Orduzaco-Port San Luis, San Pedro and	Aug.
way ports	
Orduzaco-Briggs	Aug.
Rose City-Los Angeles	Aug.
Governor-Los Angeles and San Diego.	Aug.
Yankee-Forty and Tacoma	Aug.
Manuel-Los Angeles	Aug.
City of Puebla-Victoria and Puget Sound	Aug.
Santa Clara-Los Angeles and way ports	Aug.
Central-Los Angeles	Aug.
Aorangi-San Francisco, via Thist and Wellin-	Aug.
gton	
Lurline-Tacoma and Kahluli	Aug.
City of Yonaka-Eureka, Arcata, and	Aug.
San Francisco	
Brannan-Cort Briggs	Aug.
San Foam-Pointe Arcata, Mendocino, etc.	Aug.
Harvard-Los Angeles and San Diego.	Aug.

LEGAL NOTICES

ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.

Notice is hereby given, that in accordance with the by-laws, the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Oakland Hotel Company will be held at the office of the company, room 507, Oakland, Cal. at Savins Building, Oakland, California on Monday, August 28, 1917, at 4 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

J. P. EDOFF,
Secretary Oakland Hotel Company.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

On the matter of Lore Erling De Flaming

And other and further facts appear to exist.

And all persons interested in said matter are hereby directed to appear before said Court at the time and place aforesaid to show cause, if any there be, why said application for the chance of name as therein set forth, should not be granted.

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DEEDS OF TRUST.

Nielsen (married) to Sano and Bromley, of Charles Harrison, lot 12, map of Oak, Oakland; \$730.

of, and Mary Clancy (wife) to James C. P. Hill, trustee for Charles Chubb, and 25, block D, map of Linda Park, Oakland; \$500.

and Caterina Pippione (wife) to Lawrence Pippione, lot 18, map of Linda Park, Oakland; \$184.

Inez A. and John W. W. S. F. Coniff, lots 31, block 1, map of Linda Park near University land; \$240, 1 year, 7 per cent.

Raymond D. Price (single) to John G. W. S. F. Coniff, lot 40, map of Linda Park, tract, Oakland; \$3500, 2 years, 7 per cent.

Anna S. and Charles P. Price, to John G. W. S. F. Coniff, lot 40, map of Linda Park, tract, Oakland; \$3500, 2 years, 7 per cent.

at 40 ft of lot 11, block 5, map of
Howe tract, Oakland; \$250.
W. Austin and Margaret (wife) to
& Cramer, trustees of William W. Bru-
ce community as trust of William W. Baker
avenue, thence north 50,
east 80 ft to beginning,
23, map of Bray tract, Oa-
Same to Harriet N. Old
364 50 ft northeast of

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—Extra family beef, \$16.50 per bbl; beef, \$16.50 per bbl; extra mesa 16.50 per bbl; smoked beef, 24¹/₂c

Extra prime in barrels, 100 lbs., \$2.25
lb. kegs and \$1.60 for salts.
Western large and No. 4 Western most
common, 50 lbs. \$5.25; 25 lbs. \$3.00; com-
mon, 100 lbs. \$9.00; 50 lbs. per case, \$8.25;
crocking, 100 lbs. per gallon; white
oil, 50 lbs. per gallon; salad oil, 50
lb. per gallon.
Pure Lard, M. & L. Brand
Cane, 13 1/2 cts.; cane, 1 to a case, \$6.85;
a case, \$11.00; large tin, 6 lb. 10 cts.;
20 lb. tin, 10 cts.; 50 lb. tin, 10 cts.
Torta Compound Lard, H. H. Brand
Barrels, 3 1/2 cts.; cans, 1 to a case, \$13.25;
cans, 3 1/2 cts.; 20 lb. tin, 10 cts.; 50 lb. tin,
23 cts. per case; 20s, \$6.30 per case. M.
Lard oil, white bar., 50 cts.; M. & L.
oil, 50 cts for barrel; salad oil, 50 cts for gal-
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Meat Market.
Cattle—\$4.75

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ANTA CRUZ, Aug. 17.—Marked
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sily among higher grades. Indepen-
dealers who control the market yes-
y paid 28½c a dozen for extras and
for firsts. Seconds are down in
and bring 19½c

Potatoes, Onions and Vegetables.
Potatoes (per ct)—River whites, 70¢
for fancy and 68¢ for ordinary;
red potatoes, 83¢; yellow
potatoes, yellow, 50¢-65¢ per lb.
Vegetables—Green peas, 84¢ per lb.;
beans, 28¢-50¢ per box for river and
lots for bar; cucumbers, 25¢-35¢ per
garlic, 27¢; pea lb, egg plant, 40¢;
pepper box; cabbage, 50¢ per ct; caul-
iflowers, 40¢-50¢ per lb.
Feedstuffs—Rolled
rolled oats for feed, 34¢;
feed, \$19.00/23.00; corn
\$21.00 per ton for car
jobbing; oilcake meal,
10 tons lots \$41.50, 5 tons
lots \$48.50; coconuts
mills, \$27.00 in 20 and
lot jobbing \$28.00
at 15.50; soybean meal
at 15.50; soybean
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to Eliza F. Law,
as deed of Mary
C. Oakland; and

to wife to Henry
on trust, Oakland;

to dealer (husband) to
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land;

to Mabel V. Al-
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MacKenzie (hus-
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position of lot
deed, \$8000.

to Mary A. Gray
as a, north 85W
map of aforesaid;

to Mary A. Love-

Florence A. Brown, trustee for
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to E. R. Thompson (as
Parcel was sold by Board of Tide La-
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Alameda county \$27,000.

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 Brunswick, 80¢ for No. 2;
 75¢; canning
 Bartlett, 22¢50

Valencia or fruit, \$2.50 @ 4.50; Valencia, \$2 @ 3 for standard, Mexican, 3 @ 3% c per 75 per bunch for 1 lb. Cents, \$2 @ 2.75 per

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3. If born in a foreign country, affidavit that he became a citizen of the United States by virtue of the action of his father while he was in the United States, and upon his twenty-one years, and that he would be an elector of the county at the next ensuing election.

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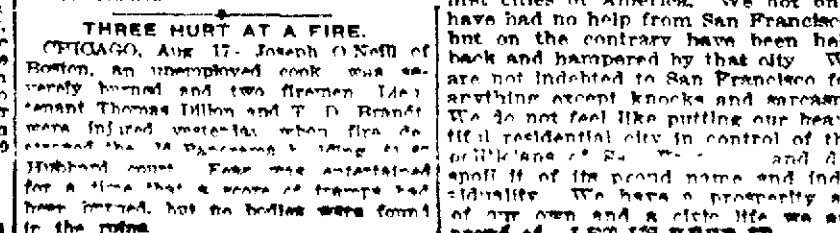
sweet Dobermans and bloodstock records, west
 1283-7100, Berkeley; \$10.
 J. H. and Collins D. Spring Cattle to E. H. #
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 #18.80.
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